

FORECAST.
Oakland and vicinity: Tonight and Tuesday occasional rain, moderate to fresh southerly wind.
RAIN FALL.
(By Chabot Observatory.)
Last 48 hours..... 1.87
Season to date..... 7.53
Normal to date..... 7.80
Last year to date..... 11.55

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FOUR PERISH DURING GALES IN BAY REGION

Nearly Score Injured When Wind Attains Velocity of 96 Miles An Hour; Great Damage Done To Property

Two Men Drowned in Bay and Two Others Are Killed When Building Is Blown Over; Ferryboats Battered

Death and destruction strode side by side throughout the Eastbay district Christmas morning in the teeth of a gale that reached a maximum velocity at Point Reyes of 96 miles an hour and swept down on the entire bay, taking a toll of four lives, injuring almost a score, paralyzing traffic and wire communication and causing a damage estimated today at thousands of dollars.

The storm casualties follow:

DEAD.

ELGIE J. SIDVERMAN, 34 years old, a Hayward rancher, fatally injured by the collapse of a chicken house during the gale. He died a short time after the accident.

DOUGLAS SILVERMAN, 34 years old, his brother; instantly killed in the same crash.

RAYMOND MCCONNELL, 45 years old, 1884 Alcatraz avenue, Berkeley; drowned while hunting ducks off Alameda.

JOHN A. CHRISTIE, furniture dealer, 1924 Haste street, Berkeley; drowned in bay off Giant station during storm.

INJURED.

Patrolman J. P. McCarthy of the Oakland police department; deep lacerations of the face.

Mrs. Julia Finazzo, 294 Hale street, San Francisco; cut and bruised about the head and body.

A. A. Pryul, 1159 Florida street, San Francisco; left elbow fractured and bruised.

Frank Dean, 1120 Wisconsin street, San Francisco; severely cut by falling telephone and telegraph wires.

Mrs. H. H. Hamilton, 428 Mississippi street, San Francisco; cuts and bruises.

C. A. Brownfield, Irwin hotel, 44 Mission street, San Francisco; lacerations and bruises.

Rev. A. C. Reed, 181 Sixth avenue, San Francisco; cut from flying Christmas tree.

PROPERTIES CRUSHED BENEATH BUILDING.

The Silverman brothers lost their lives on their chicken farm near Hayward, two miles out of Hayward, when the chicken house on which they were working was overturned and rolled about by the stiff wind. The house had climbed to the roof to repair some damage previously done by the high wind. The building was seized by the gale and overturned, crushing the brothers beneath it.

Both men were taken to the Oakland Emergency hospital, where it was found that Douglas was dead upon arrival. Elgie died soon afterward.

McConnell was hunting ducks off Alameda and his boat was overturned by the wind. He was drowned.

Christie lost his life yesterday in the bay off Giant station during the storm, according to the belief expressed today by relatives and the police.

Christie was duck hunting. The blind in which he had stationed himself was blown to pieces by the gale and no trace can be found of his rowboat. His automobile was blown today on the highway near Giant.

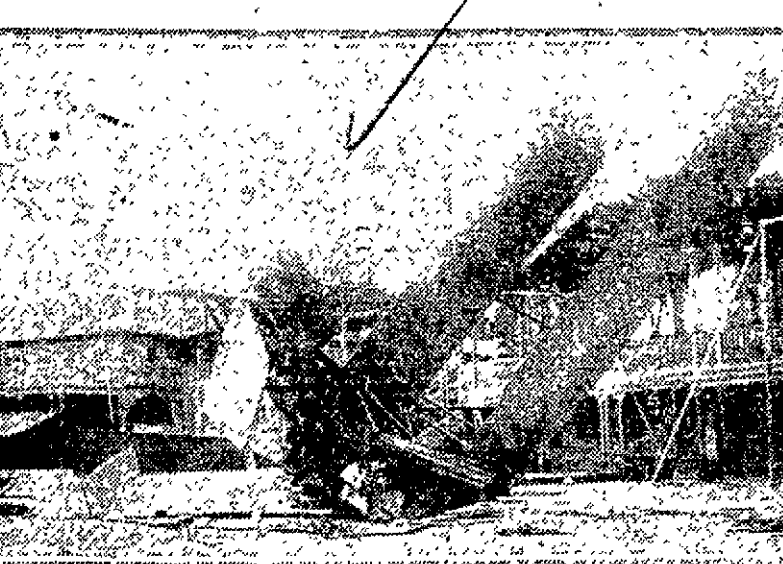
According to Mrs. Christie, her husband left home early yesterday morning several hours before the storm reached its height. When he failed to return at midnight last night she became alarmed and notified the authorities. A search immediately was started.

Christie is well known in Berkeley where he has resided for twenty-five years.

Patrolman McCarthy was injured when he was struck by a piece of wire falling from a house at Thirteenth and Madison streets, Oakland. The wire struck the officer in the head, causing a deep laceration.

Havoc in Storm's Wake

(Top to bottom), wreck of airplane at Alameda beach, where Belvedere's houseboats went to smash; garage blown over at Thirteenth and Madison streets; wreckage on the south bay front in Alameda, where a tree wrecked the roof of a house at Fourth and Taylor streets, Alameda; De Fremery Park suffered dishevelment; smashed sidewalks and structures at Neptune Beach.



THREE KILLED, 22 HURT IN AUTOMOBILSHAPS

Speeding, Wet Streets Combine To Introduce Tragic Phase Into Christmas Celebrations - in Bay Cities

Women and Children Victims of Accidents; Two Bodies in Morgue All Night Awaiting Identification

Three persons are dead today and twenty-two are suffering from injuries as a result of a series of automobile accidents which occurred in the bay region over Christmas.

The dead:

MRS. A. M. PRESTON, 480 Sixth street, Oakland.

A man believed to be FRANK MURPHY, address unknown, about 21 years.

Mrs. Preston was almost instantly killed last night as she stepped off a street car at Telegraph avenue and Sixth street, and was struck by an automobile, which did not stop after the accident. Police are searching for the driver. She was taken to the Temple hospital, Berkeley, by Dr. T. Schellens, 2435 Dwight way, Berkeley. The woman was not identified until today.

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Mrs. Levy was only identified this morning by her relatives, although she was struck down at 7:30 last night. She resided with her daughter, Mrs. Carolina Kael, but last night went to a Christmas dinner at the home of another daughter, Mrs. Lillian Davenport, 1272 Florida street.

She had left there to return home, taking a Mission street car. This necessitated a transfer at Richmond avenue and it is presumed that she was struck by the machine as she stepped from the curb. The automobile did not stop, but later William E. Garcia, 29 years old, a chauffeur, of 3535 Capistrano street, surrendered to the detective bureau. He was charged with manslaughter and violating section 21 of the penal code, which makes it a crime to desert a person injured on the street.

MAN FOUND WITH HEAD CRUSHED.

The man believed to be Murphy was evidently killed by a car at California street and Presidio avenue. He was found lying near the tracks dead, his head being crushed. Apparently no one saw the accident. His name was found from a paper in his pocket, and it was also engraved on a belt buckle. The proprietor of a drug store in the neighborhood said that two men, one of them known as Frank Murphy, had been in his place shortly before midnight.

Peter Miller, 112 Seventh street, San Francisco, received a fractured skull and lacerations, when he was knocked down at Seventh and Market streets, that city, last night by an automobile driven by C. Ruth of 1293 Thomas street, San Francisco. He was taken to the Central emergency hospital, where it is believed that he is fatally injured.

Struck by an automobile driven by Thomas McGill, 2408 Bryant street, San Francisco, Melford Atton, 19, of 354 Potrero street, San Francisco, was treated for a possible fractured skull and cuts and bruises today. McGill was arrested on a charge of reckless driving.

ROY, 6, LEFT DYING IN STREET.

Constantine Vogulkin, 6 years old, a child of Russian parents, was fatally injured yesterday when he was hit by an automobile in front of his home at 2306 Market street, San Francisco. The driver of the machine is not known.

William O'Connor, 65, 246 Dolores street, San Francisco, received wounds on the forehead and face when he was run down by an auto at Dolores and Fifteenth streets. The driver of the car, David Miller, 4717 California street, San Francisco, took the injured man to the hospital.

A man, giving the name of Charles Sparwasser, 680 Thirty-first street, this city, is being held by the police for investigation in connection with the accident.

The injured are Miss L. M. Keefe and S. H. Huddleston. Mr. and Mrs. Huddleston and Miss Keefe were driving in an automobile truck yesterday and stopped at the street intersection, where Huddleston was driving, got out to fix the radiator.

While the machine was stopped a car, driven by Sparwasser, struck it from behind, knocking Huddleston down. Sparwasser was driving at the time.

Miss Keefe through the windshield. Mrs. Huddleston was not hurt.

SPEEDER OVERTAKEN GIVEN TO POLICE.

According to police Sparwasser did not stop and Ed Nelson, 2475, 807 Broadway, who was passing in another machine, gave chase and caught him at Fifty-fifth avenue and East Fourteenth street. He was turned over to the police.

Tarow Khioshita, 6 years old, 1759 Post street, San Francisco, is suffering from concussion of the brain as a result of being struck by an automobile at Fillmore and Post streets, that city.

Charles Woodward, 2227 Carlton street, Berkeley, and Miss Mary Reed, 2323 Carlton street, that city, were injured last night by an automobile driven by Charles S. Steurer, 2119 Dwight way, Berkeley. The accident occurred at Twenty-first avenue and Twenty-second streets. Woodward is suffering from a fractured skull.

Immodesty in Dress Laid to Man's Cupidity

(By Associated Press)

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—Responsibility for women's immodesty in dress has been placed squarely on the cupid by Bishop Alma Whitehead of the Pillar of Fire denomination. She told a Brooklyn congregation that all the "low-necked and sleeveless gowns, the short skirts and gauzy stockings were outgrowths of man's schemes for gain."

For selfish and mercenary purposes she declared man had forced women out half clad before the public eye to become the object of unkind remarks and criticism.

The length of the skirt, the amount of material to be used in gowns, whether her neck should be bare or her sleeves long were subjects upon which women never were criticized before, she declared.

S. F. BROKER SHOT BY YOUNG WIFE

Wounded Man Tells Police It Was Accident; Woman Concedes.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 26.—With a serious bullet wound in the hip John O'Grady, 40, real estate agent, is at the Central Emergency hospital, claiming that he is the victim of an accident, while his wife, Alice, aged 29, is locked up at the city prison, having confessed she shot him during a quarrel. She is charged with assault with intent to commit murder.

The trouble began about 3 o'clock in the apartment occupied by the couple at the Glenwood, 415 Turk street. Mrs. O'Grady was ready for bed and clad only in her night robe. Her husband was fully dressed. She had spoken of a sad Christmas. They had wined and dined, and shortly thereafter three shots were heard. O'Grady ran from the building, staggered up Turk street to the Senate hotel nearby, where he was found by policeman Michael J. Connelley.

He was taken to the Central Emergency hospital. Mrs. O'Grady was nervous and hysterical when the police reached the apartment. She at first refused to talk, but later was taken to police headquarters by Detectives Gable and Dionne. She declined absolutely, however, to tell the circumstances of the cause of the quarrel. The officers found that three shots had been fired from an automatic pistol, which the wife confessed she had purchased in November in San Diego. The couple came here December 1 from Los Angeles.

The hospital O'Grady insisted that he had shot himself, but aside from that would say nothing. His wound, while serious, is not fatal.

Mrs. Obenchain Is Showered With Gifts

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 26.—Sitting in the dim light surrounded by heaps of Christmas presents, Madalynne Obenchain today voiced a plaint for John Belton Kennedy, the man she is accused of murdering.

"This would have been the happiest Christmas I have ever experienced," she said, "but my heart is in the grave with poor John."

Obenchain, who said she had been made happy this Christmas by the sympathy of so many friends who had showered her with remembrances. Her cell it was formerly occupied by Louis L. Reed, convicted of the murder of rich Jacob Denton—was crammed with presents. A constant stream of callers passed in and out of her apartment.

Tokyo Agrees With Harding On Treaty

BY CLARENCE DUBOSE, United Press Staff Correspondent.

TOKYO, Dec. 26.—The diplomatic adviser, counting Japanese opinion, announced today that the quadruple agreement for peace on the Pacific need not be construed as obligating any of the powers involved to protect the territorial integrity of Japan proper.

The provisions of the treaty, the council decided, need be applied only to Japan's insular possessions in the Pacific.

South Ireland For Treaty Ratification

BY INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE LEASED WIRE TO TRIBUNE.

DUBLIN, Dec. 26.—There is a lull today in the activities of the Dail Eireann over the Christmas holiday. They have been busy canvassing the sentiment of the Irish electorate regarding ratification of the Irish peace treaty, which is understood to favor ratification.

Couple Aged Eighty End Lives With Gas

SAN DIEGO, Dec. 26.—Apparently weary of life, Mr. and Mrs. William Ramm, both about 80 years old, locked themselves in their room and turning on the gas. A neighbor discovered the bodies when he detected gas escaping through a keyhole. The couple were natives of Germany. They had no known relatives in this country.

Leader in French Foreign Office Quits

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS LEASED WIRE TO TRIBUNE.

PARIS, Dec. 26.—Philippe Berthelot, general secretary of the French Foreign Office, tendered his resignation today to Premier Briand.

CHURCH SAFE IS LOOTED OF YULE FUNDS

Yeggs Bag Entire Christmas Collection At First Presbyterian Offices; Three Vain Attempts in a Few Weeks

Vault Doors Pried Open By Burglars and Strongbox Drilled Open; Janitor Not Waked By 2-Hours Work

Three unsuccessful attempts within the last few weeks to rob the office of the First Presbyterian church, Twenty-sixth street and Broadway, were followed by a successful burglary last night when the safe was looted and the entire Christmas collection taken.

The three previous attempts were disclosed today by Rev. Frank M. Silsby, pastor of the church. Inspector Frank Rossick, clerk to Captain of Inspectors Richard McSorley, today said no reports of these attempts had been made.

Last night's entrance was effected through a cellar door and the door to the church office was jammed open. The safe was opened by a drill and the entire contents removed. Rev. Silsby could not estimate the loss, but declared it amounted to several hundred dollars.

ATTOYNEY FOR CHURCH BOARD REFUSES TO TALK.

The burglary was discovered early this morning by George Jackson, assistant secretary of the church. Rev. C. J. Jones, former president of the church, and attorney for the board, went to the church and took charge of the affair. He refused to make any statement concerning the looting of the safe or previous attempts to get into the office.

According to the report of the police the door of the vault was pried open and then holes were drilled about the strong box which was pried open.

It is known, according to the police, that \$175 was taken from a special compartment in which the fund of a social club of the church was kept.

JANITOR ASKED THROUGH 2-HOUR JOB.

Many of the collection envelopes cast aside by the robbers, have the amount of the contents pencilled on the outside and the police will check these to establish an approximate of the money taken.

This morning Inspector E. A. Wallman and Timothy Flynn took charge of the case after a preliminary investigation by Inspector Thomas Pardee. Finger prints on the door of the church vault had been photographed and will be compared by the department of criminal identification with those obtained in August.

The safe in the Oakland Free Library, Fourteenth and Broadway streets, was pried open early Sunday morning and \$10 in cash and \$15 worth of stamps were taken. Entrance was gained by jimmying a rear window. The burglary was discovered yesterday morning by the janitors.

Mysterious Deaths Of Police Probed

NEW ORLEANS, La., Dec. 26.—Police today are investigating the deaths of two private detectives. P. Monahan, 45, of the Boyland Detective Agency, was found yesterday with his skull crushed.

Ten minutes later officers rushed to a call on First street, near the river to find Thomas Clark, 47, of another local agency, dead. The coroner's inquest on the body of Clark is indicated.

Monahan was employed as a night watchman. When he failed to report on his first round an investigation was started. He was found lying in a doorway unconscious and rushed to a hospital but died shortly afterward.

Joint Navy Practice Off; Funds Lacking

BY UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE TO TRIBUNE.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—Shortage of funds has caused cancellation of the joint maneuvers of the Pacific fleet and the Atlantic fleet, planned for Panama by next February and March. Secretary of the Navy Denby announced today.

Vessels of the Atlantic fleet will start winter drill and target practice in Guantanamo bay on January 3, while the Pacific fleet, based on San Pedro and San Diego, also will carry on maneuvers at the same time.

Two Men Are Shot During Strike Clash

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS LEASED WIRE TO TRIBUNE.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 26.—The fourth week of the strike in the packing industry here opened today with disorders in which two men were shot and wounded. The police reported that a picker was wounded when a negro packing plant worker shot him following an argument, and that the negro was wounded when fired upon by police officers from whom he was trying to escape. Neither was seriously injured.

\$5000 in Cash For Readers of Oakland Tribune

The TRIBUNE will pay that sum for the best Scenario Stories submitted by school children, college students and adults out of school.

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DEBS, DAUGHTERTY CLASH OVER VISIT

Attorney-General Says Call Volitional; Socialist Says He Was Summoned.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—Eugene V. Debs announced today that he would dedicate his newly acquired freedom "to the freedom of political prisoners and the cause of all prisoners." The statement was made after Debs had conferred with President Harding and Attorney General Daugherty. His future activities, Debs said, would depend entirely "on how long I will be out."

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—Eugene V. Debs, Socialist leader, whose ten-year sentence for violation of the Espionage Act was commuted by President Harding, received a letter from Attorney General Daugherty, dated today from Atlanta, where he was confined in the Federal penitentiary, conferring with him on his visit to the White House to call on President Harding.

Daugherty after the conference here at the Department of Justice, issued a statement saying he hoped Debs "may direct his talents to a useful purpose."

The attorney-general declined to elaborate on his statement, which follows:

"I have received a call from Mr. Debs. I volunteered no advice to him and he asked none. There were no questions asked, and no conditions attached to his commutation. His call upon me was of his own volition."

"I will shortly give out for publication, with the President's consent, my recommendation in the Debs case. My object in doing this will be to refresh the memory of the American people on Debs' violations of the law and to inform them of the reason for his commutation. I hope it will be educational to some extent."

"I have nothing further to say regarding Debs' call or regarding his opinion as to whether he should be permitted to use his talents to a useful purpose. I trust that the notoriety he has received may not be commercialized. I say that because I observe gathering about him, undertaking to promote him, persons who have not the best interests of the country or society at heart. His life's efforts, pursuing as he has, until now when he is a man again, a theory erroneous in principle, should not be commercialized."

Debs declined to discuss the conference with the attorney-general, except to say after reading the statement issued by Daugherty that he came to Washington before going to his home in Terre Haute, Ind., at the request of Daugherty. White House was taken in to see the President immediately.

Debs left prison with only one piece of baggage, his suitcase. He insisted upon riding in the day coach, giving the money that would have gone for a Pullman berth to Miss Robbins for the Russian Relief Fund.

Daugherty, after the day told him, and when night came he was on the point of exhaustion. He stubbornly refused to go into the Pullman to sleep for the night, and gave in only after members of his party informed him that they would stand by his side all night unless he would consent to accept the berth arranged for him.

When the prison doors closed on him at Atlanta yesterday, the Socialist leader went—least touched by the scene he had just left. A most remarkable demonstration had taken place. He had been in prison, all institutions in the prison had been suspended in his honor and the 2300 inmates were permitted to give him a rousing "send-off."

Centre and Arizona Clash in Quagmire

SAN DIEGO, Dec. 26.—"Ro" McMillin will lead Centre College's "Pacifying Colonels" into a sea of rain and mud against the University of Arizona. Williams have late today announced that they have accepted the Centre's challenge to a football game, which would give promise leading to some definite accomplishment.

This, they believe, the new program has already done. At any rate one of the American delegates said today, it has moved Great Britain to abandon her rigid policy for the sake of the submarine and it has not been finally rejected by either France or Japan.

The American delegates, in bringing forth the new program, did not expect it to meet with instant favor nor did they believe it would be accepted immediately by the power concerned. What they hoped for was that it would relieve an obvious, impossible situation between France and Great Britain and provide the basis for renewed discussions, which would give promise leading to some definite accomplishment.

Nothing UNYIELDING ABOUT U. S. POSITION. — It was emphasized today, there is nothing hard or unyielding about the new American figures, 60,000 tons for each Great Britain and the United States, 51,000 tons for each France and Japan, and 21,000 tons for Italy.

The American delegation is real and willing, it was stated, to hear any proposals which give promise of an earlier or more equitable settlement. The American role in the submarine controversy is that of a benevolent mediator, purely and simply, it was stated today by one of the delegates. There is no precedent of sentiment in submarine quarters, notably in France, that the present controversy was entirely over the submarine and other fighting craft and take it up at some future conference. There will be another conference regarded as certainly an early one. The French believe it is equipped to deal with the submarine, the present one.

Mary Slightly Ill On Her Return Home

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 26.—Mary Pickford, who with her husband, Douglas Fairbanks, returned home late Saturday from a 25,000-mile tour abroad, and who last evening was reported slightly indisposed from "nervous indigestion," was said to be improved today.

Marriage, Birth and Death Notices will be found on Page 22.

SUBMARINE AGREEMENT IS FORESEEN

Conference Confidential Ratio of Divers Can Be Settled Satisfactorily, But Long Struggle Is Anticipated

French Debt To U. S. May Be Used As Lever To Force Paris Delegates To Yield; Cabinet Meets Tomorrow

By CARL D. GROAT, United Press Staff Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—Despite France's enigmatic position and Japan's desire for a large submarine tonnage, arms delegates today looked forward to a satisfactory adjustment of the troublesome submarine question.

That some time would be consumed in debate and that difficulties would be encountered on the way was certain. Yet the conferees recalled that an even more knotty problem—the capital ship ratio—had been smoothed out without serious alterations in the Hughes program; and they were confident that this would be the outcome of the submarine question.

The French attitude was causing the most concern. How deeply it stirred the conference was evidenced by Arthur J. Balfour's intimations that France wanted a large submarine tonnage to use against Britain. Though Carrut cloaked his answer in the friendliest terms and denied such insinuations, the British were perturbed, and the more so because of Sarraute's statement casting doubt on the ability of the conference to reach a submarine agreement. In fact, he wants submarine tonnage left open to each nation's judgment.

U. S. PUBLIC OPINION BEGINNING TO BE STIRRED. — But it is doubted that such a result will be attained. American public opinion is beginning to be stirred by France's aspirations, according to reports reaching here. Hence it is doubted that France will maintain her stand to the point of upsetting present calculations.

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The Japanese stand for 4,000 tons of submarines also offers a troublesome factor. An insistence thereon would block the Hughes ratio and perhaps compel the conference to revert to the original plan under which Japan would have had 24,000. That would still leave France unreconciled. Hence the two adjustments require tactful diplomacy.

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS LEASED WIRE TO TRIBUNE.

PARIS, Dec. 26.—While clearly recognizing the obstacles that lie ahead, there was a distinct feeling of optimism today among the leaders in the armament conference that the American compromise program on submarines will provide the basis for an early agreement.

The American delegates, in bringing forth the new program, did not expect it to meet with instant favor nor did they believe it would be accepted immediately by the power concerned. What they hoped for was that it would relieve an obvious, impossible situation between France and Great Britain and provide the basis for renewed discussions, which would give promise leading to some definite accomplishment.

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ring Holiday.

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AUTO CRASHES INTO SAFETY STATION.

Unable to see the safety station at Moss avenue and Broadway, this city, he suffered the fatal blow. N. Burgess and his wife, touring to Oakland from Boyes Springs to pass Christmas, were injured early yesterday morning when their machine crashed into the station. Mrs. Burgess was cut about the face and received a sprained leg.

Mary Silva, 3424 Little street, Oakland, suffering from a fractured leg, when the automobile, in which she was riding, was struck by a key route train at Twenty-second street and San Pablo avenue.

ACCIDENTS.

Henry J. De Smet of Box 221, Hicks avenue, San Jose, and his daughter, Lillian, are seriously injured at the East Columbia hospital here today while police and sheriff's officers are searching for the automobilists responsible for the accident. De Smet and his daughter were injured when they were crossing at Eighth and Santa Clara streets, San Jose, early yesterday. The machine which struck them, it is said, was traveling at an excessive rate of speed and gave the two pedestrians little or no opportunity to escape from the car's path.

An examination of the injured couple at the East Columbia hospital revealed their condition as serious. Lillian De Smet was suffering from a compound fracture of the right leg, with serious cuts and bruises about the head and entire body. Her father was injured internally and was also badly battered. Both of the victims were unconscious when rushed to the hospital. Later they regained consciousness, however, and physicians stated they have a fair chance for recovery.

TAXI PASSENGER HURT IN CRASH.

Paul W. Kennedy, 23 San Francisco broker, living at 429 Bellevue avenue, Oakland, was riding in a taxi at Harrison boulevard and Twenty-first street, and was run into by an auto driven by H. A. Crane of Alameda. Kennedy was treated at the emergency hospital for minor cuts and bruises about the face and body. The driver of the taxi was uninjured. Crane, who was uninsured, was arrested immediately after the accident by Policeman Chas. E. Garfield and is being held for investigation.

Edna Rich, a hairdresser, 22 years old, living at 2011 West street, was struck by an auto driven by W. S. Parker, 553 Thirty-sixth street, at Twenty-ninth and San Pablo, last night. She suffered contusions of the right leg. She was taken to the emergency hospital and then home by Parker.

Three persons were injured in automobile accidents in Berkeley yesterday. Mrs. J. C. Shepherd, 143 Broadway, San Francisco, and her 7-year-old grandchild, Harry Shepherd, 441 Sixty-second street, Oakland, sustained cuts and bruises when their car, in which they were riding, was struck by another machine driven by C. E. Lewis of Black Point. G. H. Shepherd of Oakland was the driver of the car in which his mother and son was riding.

Dr. C. C. Berwick, 1835 Hearst

AUTOISTS EAT COLD TURKEY AS STORM RESULT

Christmas dinners grew cold in many homes yesterday awaiting the arrival of motorists who could not obtain transportation across the bay. Garages in San Francisco were filled with machines of Yuletide celebrants who abandoned convenience for belated passenger ferry boats in efforts to arrive in time to partake of King Turkey.

At 2:30 p. m., 680 machines awaited transportation from San Francisco to Oakland, reaching four abreast from Howard beyond Polson street. Automobiles assembled faster than the boats could load them.

Several hundred machines were in line at 1 p. m. yesterday, seeking accommodations on the boats plying between San Francisco and Marin county. The usual Sunday congestion was doubled at an early hour to Sausalito side points.

Rough weather stopped transportation service for three hours between San Francisco and Oakland, contributing to the congestion.

Autos Wrecked But Passengers Escape

ALAMEDA, Dec. 26.—Four auto smashups were reported to the police yesterday in Alameda. Fortunately no one was injured although the machines were badly damaged in every case.

Herbert Darneal, 903 Grand street, ran into the front end of a street car on the south end of the Webster street bridge.

J. H. Hobson, 2022 Eagle avenue struck the rear end of a machine owned by C. W. Avery of the Bowerman Drug company, while it was parked at Central avenue and Park street. Both machines were damaged.

The narrowest escape occurred when J. B. Grayson, 508 Haight avenue, turned the corner from Haight into Webster street and collided with the machine driven by George Wright. Although both cars were wrecked neither driver was injured.

The auto driven by Charles Anderson, 1801 Everett street, struck the rear end of a truck parked at Webster street and Eagle avenue. His car was damaged.

Santa Clara Valley Hit Hard by Storm

SAN JOSE, Dec. 26.—Residents of San Jose and Santa Clara valley are cleaning house today following one of the most devastating wind storms here in many years early yesterday morning. Damage estimated in the neighborhood of \$10,000 was done by the storm, which was accompanied by a downpour of rain.

Principal damage sustained was by the fruitgrowers of the valley, by the uprooting of the trees in various sections of the county. The softness of the earth, due to the heavy rains of the past few days, made the uprooting of the trees an easy task for the heavy wind storm.

Damage was not confined solely to trees, however, roofs of garages, barns, small homes and outbuildings being swept away, and scores of fences torn up, while in many instances it was reported that windows had been broken.

Estimates of the local weather bureau placed the velocity of the wind at 50 miles an hour. Its heaviest period being shortly after 3 o'clock yesterday morning.

Figs and olives, which are only a minor crop in this valley, suffered from the wind.

In St. James park and the City Hall park here dozens of beautiful shade trees were uprooted and crushed to earth, while much shrubbery was also destroyed.

Members of the street department were forced to forego Christmas comforts at home in order to clear many streets of fallen trees and other wreckage, while Pacific Gas & Electric linemen were also kept busy fixing broken wires and fallen telephone poles.

OHIO RIVER RISING.

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FOUR ARE KILLED AS STORM RAGES IN BAY DISTRICT

Nearly Score of Persons Are Injured and Considerable Property Damage.

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almost all day Saturday, reached its height early Christmas morning, and swept through the bay region, wrenching ships loose from their docks and moorings in the bay and causing considerable destruction. The damage was almost equally distributed on both sides of San Francisco Bay, and weather authorities and pilots declare that the gale was one of the most violent ever experienced here.

The bay was churned into foam and ferry service was tied up for four hours. The gale tore away roofs, uprooted trees, felled telephone and power poles and temporarily shut off communication in nearby sections. In Berkeley electric light service was interrupted for several hours and was not repaired until late yesterday afternoon.

The gale started from the southwest. It reached a tremendous wind velocity at 9:30 o'clock yesterday morning and continued with unabating fury until about 11:30, when it showed the first signs of subsiding. Wherever the gale struck it left a path of wreckage.

ROOFS ARE LIFTED
The roof was blown from a house at East Fourteenth street and Twenty-ninth avenue and fell in the middle of the street, narrowly missing an automobile.

A high tension telephone pole and two trees were blown into the street at East Fourteenth and High streets. The fire department was called out and removed the wires which threatened several dwellings and the wreckage.

The gale lifted the roof from the student warehouse in Berkeley and deposited it in a vacant lot several rods away, and the windows of the house of Engine Company No. 3 of the Oakland Fire Department were smashed by the wind. The building is located at Fifty-first street and Telegraph avenue.

At Twenty-fourth street and Telegraph avenue a tin roof was blown into a plate glass window of a grocery store on the corner.

A bungalow at Taylor avenue and West Fourth street, Alameda, was almost totally wrecked by a large tree which was toppled over by the gale, while many of the trees along Central avenue, Alameda's most beautiful drive, were blown over into the street.

Most all of the small craft in Lake Merritt were washed ashore during the gale, and many were pounded into kindling on the beach and against the pier.

While the storm raged at its height transbay ferry service between Alameda and San Francisco was discontinued. The ferry steamers were kept against the piers so long that it was feared that they might be damaged.

E. E. Thornton, pier superintendent of the Key Route, who has been connected with the company for more than 25 years, said today that the gale was the worst he had ever seen on San Francisco bay, and never before to his knowledge had electric currents been shut off and traffic on the Key Route suspended for four hours during the terrible blow Thornton held more than 500 passengers on the Key Route System mole, while trucks outside the shed were awash with heavy breakers.

During the storm's wrath he was employed by many in the crowd to send a boat out, as they feared the mole would be carried away. Thornton stood firm and ordered the power shut off and kept the people quiet, averting a possible panic. When the Garden City broke into the tracks, midway between the mole and the mainland, Thornton ordered the power on and sent out a tug and a crew to relieve the stranded ferry.

The full force of the gale was also felt down the peninsula toward San Jose, where trees were uprooted, and damage was also reported.

PIER WAREHOUSE ARE TORN AWAY
At Point Bonita the government pier and warehouse connected with the Fort Barry military reservation was torn away by the wind, which attained a velocity of between 90 and 100 miles an hour between 10 and 10:30 o'clock. The United States Army wharf and warehouse on the Marin county shore were swept away.

Captain Robert Johnson, commanding the coast guard at Point Bonita, said the wind for the half-hour period was the highest on record, for the point. Just before the warehouse was carried out to sea Captain Johnson said the waves rolled ten feet over the top of the building. Later the roofs of several buildings at Point Bonita were carried away.

At Point Bonita at 9 o'clock a barometer registered 29.05, the lowest in 20 years. Breakers washed over the top decks of the ferries, and women and children were thrown into panic. The steamers bobbed around like toy ships on the waves, and at times the paddle wheels were entirely out of water.

The roof of the Contra Costa hospital at Martinez was almost entirely torn off and nurses and stewards worked for three hours moving patients into buildings that offered protection. Before daylight a temporary roof had been constructed.

Damage in San Francisco was also heavy and entrances to Golden Gate park were blocked by fallen trees.

During today employees of park boards in all of the bay cities spent their time in repairing the damage done by the storm. All day yesterday until a late hour last night street department workers were busy removing the debris from the thoroughfares.

Members of the Oakland and Acorn Yacht clubs were forced to desert their Christmas dinners to salvage their crafts, some of which were sunk, and others beached, while many were torn loose from their moorings and pounded on the shore until they were badly damaged.

WOMAN SAVED FROM SINKING ALAMEDA ARK

Many Small Vessels Are Swamped Along Encinal City Beach.

ALAMEDA, Dec. 26.—A thrilling rescue of Mrs. S. Oker, aged invalid, from an ark at the foot of Madison street yesterday by Assistant Fire Chief A. L. Helmsworth and Captain Fred Wagner of the Webb street fire house was one of the incidents of the storm in Alameda. The woman, who is 80 years old and suffering from heart trouble, was taken from the ark as it was on the verge of going down in the waters of the bay.

The rescue was effected by the two fire department officers with the greatest difficulty. Driven by the storm, the ark, which was piled up in a small houseboat in which Mrs. Oker made her home. Within a few minutes after she had been removed the structure was wrecked and wrecked. She was rescued to the home of friends in Encinal avenue.

The beaches of Alameda are strewn with the wreckage of the houseboats which were piled up by the storm or destroyed by the waves. On the south and southeast side of the island practically every small boat was wrecked or piled upon the beach. Fortunately no lives were lost. Twenty boats of the Aeolian club were sunk or piled on the beach.

The fishermen were called upon to rescue from the bay the remains of Louis Schroeder at 510 Central avenue. The garage is built over the bay, and the storm soon tore away the pilings beneath the structure, with the result that the building collapsed and tumbled into the water. The machine was rescued just before being submerged.

Trees in all parts of the city paid toll to the storm. A number of fine oaks, particularly in Washington park, suffered, some being blown over and others having great limbs snapped off. Along the streets acacias and other light wood growth was torn from the ground.

The big cypress tree at Santa Clara and Park avenues, one of the veteran landmark trees of the city, was snapped off close to the ground and smashed over onto the building occupied by the Alameda Welding Works. Aside from ripping off a mass of the shingles, no damage was done to the building. The tree, however, is lost, being broken off short. It was planted almost half a century ago by early residents of the city, and has been considered one of the landmarks of Alameda. Park avenue is completely blocked by the fallen trunk.

The damage done by the storm at the Alameda beaches is close to \$25,000. At old Surf beach practically all of the buildings collapsed from the force of the wind. Neptune beach was hard hit, the damage ranging between \$500 and \$10,000. The aeroplane concession was totally wrecked and the machines were smashed. The booths and other structures were more or less destroyed, while benches and lighter woodwork were hurled in tangled masses against the bulkheads.

Washington park suffered heavily. The wind took the big grandstand and lifted it from the concrete foundations. It was only saved from destruction by the presence of mind of William J. Howell, one of the ground keepers, who secured a sled hammer and knocked holes in the structure in order to relieve the wind pressure. The tennis courts were wiped out and the small buildings had their roofs ripped off.

A large windmill located at Ninth and San Antonio was caught by the gale and the wheel was torn away and blown to Santa Clara avenue. Telegraph, telephone and electric light poles were snapped off and for several hours the island was without power of any kind.

Tom Piggersgill, vice commodore of the Aeolian Yacht club, had a narrow escape from death, being rescued from the bay by his fellow yachtsmen.

Practically every small boat owner in the city is minus his craft today. Some are fortunate, having their little vessels blown up on the beach, but in most cases small craft were filled and sunk.

Ferryboats Are Badly Battered by Bay Gale

More than 150 passengers on the ferryboat Garden City were rescued by the gale in the bay when the steamer tumbled to make her customary slip and went adrift with a shattered rudder. The vessel finally bobbed against the long pier of the Key Route line, and the passengers scrambled to the causeway and walked into Oakland. Many were slightly injured by the buffeting given the ship, nearly all were drenched and lost articles of Christmas presents.

A similar experience was had by the San Rafael-Johnston ferry, the Charles Van Damme, with 80 passengers. The steamer drifted for four hours before finding a safe anchorage.

The experience of the Garden City was a harrowing one for the passengers, who were on the water for one hour, and then were forced to risk their lives in the rocky piers, in order to prevent being swept into the bay.

The Garden City left the Ferry building at 9:25 and approached the Alameda pier to find the Edward T. Jeffrey, Western Pacific boat, in the slip. The Jeffrey had been blown from her moorings and forced to take refuge from the wind and waves in the Alameda mooring.

Noting that the berth was filled, Captain C. C. Anderson stopped the boat crashed into the pier were John Mangusung, a Filipino butler, 1000 San Antonio avenue, Alameda, who sustained cranial injuries.

Meanwhile the Charles Van Damme was cruising about the bay helpless until Captain R. Clark managed to secure anchorage at Winehaven. Like the Garden City, the Van Damme's trouble was due to a broken rudder. In the storm the ferryboat lost its rudder and was disabled.

Considerable Damage Is Done at Richmond

RICHMOND, Dec. 26.—The storm in Richmond yesterday did considerable damage. Part of the roof of the municipal warehouse was blown off by the wind as was the roof of several two business buildings, and many dwellings. Trees were blown down, the baseball park fence at First street was blown down and light and power service was interrupted throughout the day.

Berkeley Poles and Trees Blown Down

BERKELEY, Dec. 26.—One man hurt, scores of trees uprooted, almost 100 telephone and power poles blown down, hundreds of dollars' worth of plate glass windows broken and countless roofs blown off, was the toll of yesterday's storm in Berkeley.

Andrew Yundt, 2230 Byron street, Berkeley, was treated at the emergency hospital for a deep laceration in his head sustained when a pane of glass blew down from an upper story of the First National Bank building in Oakland. The glass penetrated

Yundt's felt hat and cut his scalp to the bone. He waited until he returned to Berkeley to receive treatment. The wound is not serious.

Members of the Berkeley police department were kept busy yesterday receiving and caring for complaints as to the storm damage. Manager J. H. Pape of the Berkeley office of the Pacific Gas and Electric company, had a crew of men in the field today replacing wrecked poles, as did also Manager B. A. Glover of the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph company. Despite the danger from high tension wires, which were blown loose, no one was reported injured from this cause.

The look-out station on Graceland Road lost its roof in the storm, while Frank Scharf, a resident of Ellettsburg, who made a tour of inspection of the park today, declared several hundred dollars in damage was done to trees, shrubs and other plants.

Despite the high wind not a single serious fire was reported yesterday in Berkeley. The rain of the past week is said to have saved a serious fire. The only call answered by the fire department yesterday was for a chimney fire in the home of S. M. French, 2335 Summit street. No damage was done.

Christmas decorations adorning the Berkeley streets were wrecked in the storm.

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Death Total 41 On Lower Mississippi

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 26.—The death list from the storms which swept through Northeastern Arkansas, Mississippi and Northeastern Louisiana Friday night and early Saturday morning stood today at 41. Three white men, 1 white woman and 37 negroes.

The number of injured persons was still undetermined. The property damage has been placed at less than a million dollars.

The Red Cross was continuing its effort to supply the homeless with food, clothing and shelter.

Spencer, La., a village, which was wrecked by the storm, has been abandoned. All inhabitants having been taken by special train to Monroe, where the injured and homeless are being cared for.

Rainfall Here Is Brought to Normal

The rainfall during the past 24 hours has brought Oakland to the normal point, but the rainfall is still four inches below last year. According to the weather bureau, the fall for the past two days is 1.67, making the seasonal total 7.53. The normal today is 7.80 and last year the precipitation was 7.15.

The rain extended throughout the state, but continues heaviest in Southern California. The reports for the past 24 hours show rainfalls at Mt. Wilson 2.72; Combs, 2.04; San Pedro, 2.02; Los Angeles, .80; San Francisco, .33, and Sacramento, .80.

The wind yesterday achieved a velocity of 36 miles an hour at Point Reyes, the weather bureau reports.

San Diego Cut Off By Prolonged Storm

SAN DIEGO, Calif., Dec. 26.—San Diego is today almost completely isolated from the outside world as the result of nine days of rain. No trains were being operated over either the Santa Fe or the San Diego and Arizona lines, and to washouts. Automobile traffic is also practically at an end because of bridges and highways having been washed out.

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\$25.00	\$45.00	\$35.00	

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SURVEY ISSUES FIRST STUDY OF EARLY MISSIONS

Historical Data Assures Reliability in Architectural Facts Presented.

The first of a series of authentic historical architectural studies of the missions of California has been issued by the California Historical Survey Commission, according to an announcement made from the University of California. "The Architectural History of the Mission of San Carlos Borromeo" is the title of the publication which is brought out under the editorial supervision of Dr. Owen C. Coy, director of the commission. It is based upon a report prepared in 1915 for the commission by Frances Rand Smith of Palo Alto, supplemented by valuable manuscripts and printed material from the Bancroft Library, the State Library, public archives and elsewhere. In all cases statements are based upon reliable historical evidence. The commission has carried on exhaustive research and assembled all historical evidence available upon the architecture and construction of the San Carlos Mission. The volume is handsomely bound, containing forty-six photographs and drawings. It is illustrated with seventeen plates containing ground plans, elevations, cross-sections, detail study of arches, doorways and windows. Pioneer Californians have contributed original photographs which show clearly the lines of the early structures and the history of the decay and ruin.

BERNHARDT'S TOMB.
PARIS, Dec. 24.—Sarah Bernhardt has ordered a simple stone slab to be erected over her grave after she is buried. Her grave will be on Belle-Ile-en-Mer, a rocky islet in the Bay of Biscay.

Ziegfeld, Beauty Picker, to Retire From Show Game

CHICAGO, Dec. 26.—Flo Ziegfeld, champion picker of feminine beauty for the American stage, is through with the show business. Announcement of his retirement from the show producing game was made today coincident with an actor's strike at the opening of the follies here. He expects to close out all of his show interests by 1924.

Ziegfeld is following in the footsteps of George M. Cohan, who recently retired because of the "laxness" of the show business. Harry J. Powers, manager of the Colonial Theatre, made public Ziegfeld's announcement.

"I would like to buy a baseball club or promote a professional football circuit along the lines of a major league baseball organization," Ziegfeld said.

Boy Scouts Open Mid-Winter Camp

Oakland Boy Scouts today opened their mid-winter camp at the Scout camp in Diamond canyon, where patrol leaders and others will receive instruction in leadership during the week.

The camp takes the place of the regular non-commissioned officers' school, according to Scout Executive Homer J. Bemis, and will be opened this year under somewhat different lines.

Every troop in the city is sending one or more representatives to take advantage of the course of instruction.

AUTHOR TO TOUR

An appeal to the American people to "adhere to the fundamentals of government as laid down by the Constitution" will be made by Harry F. Atwood, author and lecturer, who will make a tour of the state beginning February 1 under the direction of the Better American Federation. Place and date are to be announced later.

FLYING HOSPITAL DEEMED POSSIBLE BY SPECIALISTS

London Physicians Say Airplane Trips Would Benefit Pulmonary Cases.

LONDON, Dec. 24.—Hospitals established in airships in high and germ-free altitudes are quite possible, according to prominent nerve specialists attending a convention here.

American doctors have long been interested in such a possibility of curing nervous patients by sending them for trips in an airplane. A specialist here said flying is hardly safe enough at this time to make it suitable as a cure for patients whose particular disability is due to nervous disorder, however.

"I frequently prescribe motoring for nerve patients," said the doctor, "but generally short runs of forty to fifty miles. I do not think people suffering from nerves would wish to fly at the present time."

The doctor pointed out, however, that to prescribe flying for tubercular patients and others suffering from malnutrition was altogether a different matter.

He was of the opinion that airship hospitals were a practicable possibility of the near future.

Patients would probably be taken up to a height not exceeding 3000 to 10,000 feet at first, and in the first case for a few hours only, a period which might gradually be extended to twenty-four hours.

"We have not yet, however," said the doctor, "very much information as to what the effect of resting for a considerable time at a very high altitude may be on the human organism."

It seems certain, however, that sojourn in the germ-free air will, by increasing oxygenation, improve and purify the blood, and the modern school of medicine is tending more and more to recognize a given disease as a local effect of unsatisfactory blood.

W. C. T. U. HOME TOWN DECLARED WET, VERY WET

EVANSTON, Ill., Dec. 26.—This town, the national headquarters for the Women's Christian Temperance Union, is not living up to the eighteenth amendment, according to civic leaders. "Evanstonians are drinking heavier than they ever did," said Miss Kathleen Moore, head of the city's charities. "They used to go to Chicago for a few drinks—now they make their own and drink it fast."

Management Dines Loew's State Staff

Every individual necessary to the conduct of a modern playhouse, from manager to janitor, was represented today at noon when the employees of Loew's State theater attended a Christmas dinner in the blue room of Hotel Oakland. Invitations had been issued by Loew's Inc. to performers, musicians, stage crew, ushers, operators, doormen, managerial staff, cashiers and janitors. Manager Eugene L. Perry acted as toastmaster.

Guilty Moonshiner To Return to Italy

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Dec. 26.—Troppe Giuseppe is not a man without a country," but he doesn't belong to the United States. And so he's going back to Italy, to be "forever barred from America," not as a deportee, but to keep out of jail. Following his conviction on a charge of making "moonshine," Giuseppe was sentenced to pay a fine of \$1000 and serve a year in prison.

Judge Wardman played Solomon, however, and remitted the sentence upon promise of the Italian to "go home and never return."

Case as a local effect of unsatisfactory blood.

Wonderful things have been done by a famous Swiss doctor with what is known as helio-therapy—cure by sunlight. It should be possible to make the wonderful light which would play on an airship hospital take the place of the healing sunlight which patients now seek in Switzerland.

HERMIT DEFIES COUNTRY POSSE

MONTIGELLO, Ill., Dec. 26.—Despite efforts of the sheriff and citizens in the vicinity of Mahomet, near here, Harry Davis, thirty-five, a hermit living in a dugout of his own making on land belonging to Edward Swigert, of this city, continues living close to nature. Davis is suspected of committing many petty thefts reported by storekeepers and others near Mahomet. Sheriff Gale, with a posse of deputies, went to the dugout and ordered Davis to surrender. The young hermit stuck a rifle through a corner of his dugout and threatened to shoot the first man who tried to take him alive. Deciding that discretion was the better part of valor, the sheriff beat a strategic retreat with his posse.

The hermit has been noticed by women of the neighborhood for several months, although he was not brought to official notice until

SHANGHAI PUTS UP GIANT RADIO

SHANGHAI, China, Dec. 26.—The world's most powerful radio station, to be built in Shanghai. It will be larger than any now in operation in America and as large as the greatest wireless plant in the world at Bordeaux, France. According to plans now being carried out, the big overseas station will surpass even the Bordeaux station in equipment, as it is to be fitted with all time-saving apparatus of recent invention.

The monster station is to be completed and in operation within eighteen months. An idea of its scope may be gathered from the fact that this station will have six recently.

Citizens threaten to take summary vengeance unless the man is arrested immediately, as complaints have been received that he frightens women and children.

LOWERS, EACH 1000 FEET IN HEIGHT. IT WILL BE ABLE TO COMMUNICATE WITH ANY RADIO STATION IN THE WORLD.

The station will be open to all forms of wireless communication, and, in addition to the commercial service to be given, there will be a press service of 3500 words daily between America and China, thus establishing a continuous daily news service.

The project is being carried out by the Federal Telegraph Company, of San Francisco. The work will be done by this company and the Chinese Government under terms of the agreement of January 8, 1921. All difficult diplomatic problems and differences of opposing interests that developed when the project was launched have been solved.

PAWNSHOP MARRIAGE

PARIS, Dec. 24.—An English couple who came here to get married found they lacked the money necessary to pay the fee. The bridegroom put up his waistcoat and the bride her handbag as security; then the ceremony was performed.

LOAN FOR AUSTRIA

VIENNA, Dec. 24.—Details of a big loan to Austria have been practically completed. British, American and French financiers co-operating.

AROUND WORLD IN PLANE PLANNED

LONDON, Dec. 26.—"We're as keen as possible," said Sir Keith Smith, the airman, who, with his brother, Sir Ross Smith, is to attempt a flight around the world in the early spring of next year. "It won't be an easy job, but we're out to do it if it can be done at all."

"The most ticklish part of the journey will be, of course, the flight across the Atlantic, but we're taking every possible precaution to insure the success of the undertaking. It's pretty certain that a flight around the world will be done some day, and we're keen that the honor should go to a British-born subject."

It is expected that there will be only three engaged in the flight—Sir Keith, his younger brother, Sir Ross, and Sergeant Bennett (the mechanic who accompanied them on the Australian flight).

UPRIGHT'S

-ALL THAT THE NAME IMPLIES

13th and Washington, Oakland

Store closes at 5:30 p. m. Tuesday

After Christmas Clearance

A Great, Big, Wonderful Opportunity to Invest Christmas Checks

(1 DAY ONLY)

= 1/3 OFF 1/3 =

(TUESDAY)

Imitation ivory --- Toilet articles, toilet sets, manicure articles, etc. Genuine "Pyralis" Ivory included. Tuesday, your choice. (First Floor) 1/3 OFF 3/4	Handbag clean-up --- A beautiful assortment of women's CANTEENS and vanity boxes, BEADED bags and handbags. Come early. Tuesday (Main Floor) 1/3 OFF 3/4	Army blankets --- Olive drab and gray WOOL army blankets; double bed size; full four-pound weight. Sensational Tuesday sale. (Downstairs Salesroom) 1/3 OFF 3/4
Holiday neckties --- Sweeping clearance; for men; four-in-hands of the latest pattern silks included. Your choice of all Tuesday. (First Floor) 1/3 OFF 3/4	Handkerchiefs --- Sweeping clearance of the balance of Upright's big values in Christmas BOXED handkerchiefs. Your choice Tuesday. (Main Floor) 1/3 OFF 3/4	Novelty jewelry --- Many kinds. BEAD NECKLACES in variety included. Also ALL OUR PEARL beads of the better grade. Your choice Tuesday (1st Flr.) 1/3 OFF 3/4
Marabout capes --- Lovely, becoming, soft, fluffy neckpieces for women; cape effect; all wanted colors. Your unrestricted choice Tuesday. (Main Floor) 1/3 OFF 3/4	Silk underwear --- Be here at 9 a. m. Tuesday and in the Annex and on the First Floor you'll find rare bargains in women's lingerie; several tables; crepe de Chine, etc. 1/3 OFF 3/4	All winter hats --- Tuesday you may select any woman's winter hat on Upright's Second Floor (fur, velvet or duvetyne) and it's yours at a saving of 1/3 OFF 3/4
Odd pairs curtains --- Great for single windows and for rooms with only one window. Too many kinds to describe. All prices. Tuesday. (Fourth Floor) 1/3 OFF 3/4	Blouse clean-up --- One table of women's silk, silk crepe and lingerie waists and blouses. Also GIRLS' FLANNEL MIDDIES. Tuesday. (In the Annex) 1/3 OFF 3/4	Girls' ready-to-wear --- A few winter COATS in the lot. Also a number of navy blue SERGE DRESSES and a few wash dresses. Tuesday. (In the Annex) 1/3 OFF 3/4
Lace-edge domestics --- Included in this big lot on sale are PILLOW CASES, DRESSER SCARFS and table CENTERS. Various prices. Tuesday. (Downstairs) 1/3 OFF 3/4	Stencilled domestics --- 54-in. colored stencil LUNCH CLOTHS with hand-blocked patterns on heavy sheeting. Cut corner BED SPREADS to match. All sizes. Tuesday. 1/3 OFF 3/4	Washable dresses --- Women's and misses' wash frocks for street and home wear. One big table full giving choice selection. Tuesday. (In the Annex) 1/3 OFF 3/4

Extra! On Tuesday, a big clean-up sale of

Coats & Dresses

An underprice event Most desirable styles Reduced Tuesday to

\$13.95

3rd Flr.

COATS Full length models of wool velvets or cut Bolivia. Fancy silk lined. Many with handsome fur collars. Silk stitched, braided, button-trimmed, etc. Values! \$13.95

EXTRA! 3/4 length sport coats of stunning overcoating mixtures. \$13.95

DRESSES Wool Jersey, tricotine, velveteen, silk crepe, etc. Many only ONE OF A KIND (hence not all sizes). For street, afternoon, or dinner wear. Big values! \$13.95

These Sales for One Day—Tuesday Only

---a new era in clothing values!

Arthur Ramage Co.
1311 Washington

FINE FABRICS, EXCELLENT WORKMANSHIP, AT THE OLD ORDER OF PRICES, HAVE COME INTO THEIR OWN AGAIN!

New Spring Suits

30 and 35

THE FIRST ARRIVALS FOR NEXT SPRING! BETTER QUALITIES THAN WE HAVE EVER BEEN ABLE TO OFFER AT THESE PRICES, EVEN IN PRE-WAR DAYS! NEW MODELS IN ONE, TWO AND THREE-BUTTON SINGLE AND DOUBLE BREASTED COATS, IN PLAIN AND FANCY WORSTEDS, CASSIMERES AND WORSTED CHEVIOTS -- HAND TAILORED!

Arthur Ramage Co.
1311 Washington

HEADQUARTERS FOR FASHION PARK AND STEIN-BLOCH CLOTHES.

200,000 QUARTS WINE SIPPED BY PARIS CHRISTMAS

Christmas Celebrations Cost
\$3,000,000 and Net
50,000 Headaches.

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DELINQUENT ROLLS SHRINK

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 26.—State Controller Ray L. Riley, in a statement, declared that the total State tax revenue for the fiscal year 1929-1930 amounted to \$22,370,320.59. Collections for the fiscal year totaled \$22,272,149.04.

Controller Riley said:

"Total taxes levied for the fiscal year 1929-1930 amounted to \$22,310,320.59. The total collections for the year amounted to \$22,272,149.04, which includes penalties on account of delinquency amounting to \$17,330.18; also taxes and penalties for prior years amounted to \$3,309.38."

The total taxes delinquent amounted to \$45,448.66. This, said Riley, is one of the smallest delinquencies that the State has ever had. It is therefore reasonable to assume that the corporations of the State are in good financial condition.

The Controller also collected on account of petroleum and gas assessments a total of \$129,935.78, of which \$5,927.36 were on prior assessments dating from 1918. The total levy amounted to \$126,025.58, making a delinquency of \$2,517.91. The collection also included a penalty for delinquency amounting to \$83.48.

Many of the corporations which had heretofore surrendered their charter, or whose charters had been revoked for non-payment of the corporation franchise tax are now reviving.

German Export Ban Is Violated

BERLIN, Dec. 26.—Government action against prominent manufacturers will result on the ground that they have abated violation of the restrictions temporarily forbidding the export of certain textiles. The manufacturers are accused of selling to foreign buyers who took advantage of the selling limit to mark to pick up large quantities of merchandise.

HELP WANTED

for our
CLEARANCE SALE
which starts Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock.
Salesmen who thoroughly understand the fitting and selling of Men's and Young Men's Quality Suits and Overcoats.

Camp-Holton
1217 Broadway, Oakland

THE ANNA HEAD SCHOOL FOR GIRLS

Whitely, will reopen January 4, 1930. Mary E. Wilson, Principal.

NOTICE.
The annual meeting of Oakland Chapter, American Red Cross, will be held at City Hall, room 707, Oakland, on Thursday, December 28, 1929, at 8 o'clock p. m. for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors and the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting. Members are invited to be present.

Dated, December 26, 1929.

J. P. KNOX, Chairman.
HERBERT J. SAMUELS, Secretary.

WIRELESS COURSES

Private Classes
Western Radio Institute
Room 500 Hotel Oakland
Phone 1001

NOW FOR A HOUSE-CLEANING CLEARANCE SALE

Buy "Perrin" Gloves with your Mdse. Order REAL KID GLOVES REAL KID GLOVES

2-clasp pique style with pretty fancy contrasting or two-tone embroidered backs; white, mode, brown or gray. \$3.50
Pair. \$3.00
MEN'S UMBRELLAS: Of good quality gloria; tape edge; neat crooked handles. Each (Main Floor) \$2.50

Whitthorne & Swan OAKLAND'S STORE THAT UNDERSELLS

Specials for Tuesday, Dec. 27th

A Dandy School Special

Children's Cotton Hose

1200 PAIRS—EXTRAORDINARY VALUE—
Heavy ribbed; black only; all sizes, 6 to 9½.
Special, pair. 15c
(Main Floor)

SWEEPING REDUCTIONS HAVE PILED UP BIG VALUES

CANDY SPECIALS

FRESH JELLY BEANS: 30c value. Pound 14c
FRESH GUM DROPS: Extra special Tuesday only, pound 14c
CHEWING GUM: "Wrigley's," "Beeman's" or "Adams"; (limit 6); package 2½c

Here's a great chance. Folks, to save on staple merchandise and also on lots of articles suitable for New Year's gift-giving. We are going to clean house during the next five days, the last business days of the year, and all holiday goods, odd lots, small lots, etc., must be closed out, so they have been reduced to prices that mean big savings to our customers. Take advantage of this sale; you'll find splendid bargains here, and it's a good time for those that have W. & S. merchandise orders to use them.

Clearance Prices on WOOLENS

An odd lot of velvet checks, prunella striped shirting, heavier mixed suitings, all-wool storm serge, all wool French serges in navy or colors, width 54 inches, and sold regularly at \$2.50 or \$2.95. On sale Tuesday, yard \$1.95
(Main Floor)

1 SALE IN ART SHOP

EMBROIDERED DRESSER SCARFS

Very dainty and practical; usual \$2.00 value. Special, each 1

REAL MADEIRA or CLONY LIVES: Good assortment but slightly soiled at ½ price 40c
IMPORTED BASKETS: Large variety of hand made baskets, to close out at ½ price \$2.50
BEAUTIFUL FELLOW SLIPS: Of rich tapestry combined with velvet and finished with gold braid, usual \$3.00 value. Special ½ price: \$2.50 each
BATH ROBE CORDS: Usual 80c value. Special, each 40c
TAN REPP TABLE RUNNERS: Finished with rich design and braid; usual \$5.00 value. Special, each \$2.50
METAL BAG TOPS: Good style; usual \$2.00 value. Special, each \$1.00
WOMEN'S KNITTED SLIPPERS: Odd sizes; usual \$1.75 value. Special, ½ price, each 87c
(Third Floor)

Tuesday Only

3000 Men's Initial Handkerchiefs

Excellent quality 5c Each

These have been our regular 10c, 12½c and 15c values. All are practically perfect but some are slightly mussed from handling.

Sold as is Tuesday
Buy Them by the Dozen
(Main Floor—No Phone Orders)

Men's Neckwear

Buy His New Year's Gift Now 1 off marked 2 price

All our \$1.00, \$1.45, \$1.79 or \$2.25 values

MEN'S HOSE: Heavy weight; dark gray. 15c
Pair

MEN'S COTTON RIBBED UNION SUITS: Medium weight; ecru; long sleeves; ankle length. Suit \$1.15

Men's Sweaters

Every Sweater in Stock 1/3 Off Marked Price

Regular \$2.85 value now, each \$1.90
Regular \$3.85 value now, each \$2.57
Regular \$4.50 value now, each \$3.00
Regular \$6.85 value now, each \$4.57
Regular \$8.85 value now, each \$5.90
(Main Floor Entrance on Eleventh Street)

Big Clearance Sale

Holiday STATIONERY

A few soiled and broken, but most of them in perfect condition.

43c value Box 22c | \$1.58 value Box 79c
97c value Box 49c | \$1.17 value Box 58c

An excellent New Year gift.

MESH BAGS: Silver finish: \$5.00
\$1.45 value. Each 79c
"DIK KISS" POWDER: 79c
Popular shades. Box

"INGRAMS" MILKWEED CREAM: Jar 39c
SANITARY NAPKINS: Dozen to box 49c

BAR PINS: Silver finish—set with stones—each \$1.00
(Main Floor)

After-Xmas Clearance Sale of

WOMEN'S HANDKERCHIEFS

All soiled and mussed HANDKERCHIEFS to be sold about ONE-THIRD to ONE-HALF off the original price.

WOMEN'S SINGLE HANDKERCHIEFS: Soiled and mussed. 15c value, each 10c
25c value, each 15c
50c value, each 35c
75c value, each 50c

CHILDREN'S SCHOOL HANDKERCHIEFS: Dozen 45c
BOXED HANDKERCHIEFS: \$1.00
75c value, box 50c
\$1.00 value, box 65c

CLEARANCE OF MUSSSED NECKWEAR: Former special 45c or 69c values—each 35c
(Main Floor)

SALE OF CORDUROY

Embossed; 36-inch; big line of sport colors; a handsome broad-corded corduroy for robes; \$1.50 value. Yard 1.19

TRICOLEUR: 36 inch, tubular knit, flesh, white, peach tan orchid, black, old rose, gray or green \$1.25 quality, yard 95c

CANTON CREPE: 40-inch; heavy all-silk grade in black, brown or blue; \$3.50 value. Yard \$2.50

SATIN CHARMEUSE: 40 inch, extra fine soft finish, black, brown or blue, \$3.95 value, yard \$2.50

CORDUROY: 32 inch, hollow cut wide wale; good range of colors; \$1.25 value; yard 95c

TAFFETA SILK: 35-inch; plain or changeable in light or dark colors; \$2.00 quality. Yard \$1.59

CHIFFON VELVET: 40-inch; fine soft silk velvet; black, brown or navy blue; \$5.50 quality. Yard \$4.95
(Daylight Department—Main Floor)

Sale of DOMESTICS

Bathrobe Flannel

(Cotton) good heavy quality—27 inches wide. 35c Yard

BLEACHED SHEETS: Good, durable quality; size 81x90. Each \$1.49

SATEEN COMFORTERS: Double bed size; plain border. Each \$4.50

BATHROBE BLANKETS: Good quality with cord and frogs to match—size 72x90—to close out at, set. \$4.45
(Downstairs)

Clearance Sale! Famous

"KENYON" RAINCOATS

Women's—28 only—guaranteed

We want to close them out at once; only 28 left; tan, brown, taupe, navy or black; all sizes among them, at—

COATS formerly marked \$19.90—Sale price, each \$9.95

COATS formerly marked \$29.90—Sale price, each \$14.95

(Sale on Second Floor)

Children's Flannelette

Gowns or Sleepers

Of heavy quality; white or stripes; sizes 2 to 14 years. Garment 79c

CHILDREN'S BLACK SATEEN BLOOMERS: Of good firm quality; band waist; sizes 8 to 14 years. Pair 59c

WOMEN'S PINK SATEEN BLOOMERS: Finished with ruffle. Pair 75c

WOMEN'S FLANNELETTE GOWNS: Heavy fleecy quality; white or striped; popular styles. Each \$1.00

BOUDOIR CAPS: Of crepe de chine or satin, combined with good laces; pretty colors and styles. Each 79c

JERSEY SILK BLOOMERS or VESTS: Pink; good, firm weave. Garment \$1.89

CHILDREN'S VESTS or PANTS: Vests are Dutch neck, elbow sleeves; pants are knee length; sizes 2 to 12 years. Garment 50c

(Second Floor)

Navy Blue MIDDIES

Of all-wool flannel; regulation lace \$2.95
front; 2 button cuff, braid trimmed. Each

OVERBLOUSES or TUCK-INS: Of seersucker, crepe de chine or tricotette, headed, braided, lace trimmed. New creosote, beading, cascade or tailored models; dainty and attractive. Each \$2.95

FRESH BLOUSES: Of voile, dimity or batiste; three-quarter sleeves; dainty tucks; tuxedo and tailored models, finished with fillet or fine pleating. Each \$1.59
(Second Floor)

Broken Sizes in Children's Knitted SLEEPERS

The "Sandman" brand, with feet and drop seat; broken sizes, 3 to 5 years. Clearance price, each 75c

KIDDIES COLORED DRESSES: Chic little styles in gingham or chambray, trimmed with hand embroidery; ages 2 to 6 years. Specially priced, each \$1.69 or \$1.95

GIRLS' RAIN CAPES—Heavy rubberized materials in red or blue, with hood attached; ages 6 to 14 years; a special value, each \$2.45
(Children's Shop, Second Floor)

RIBBONS

Less Than 1/2 price

Splendid for making New Year's Gifts

A clean-up of ribbons left over from our big Xmas sales. Every yard off the bolt:

10c or 15c ribbon; short lengths, at yard 4c
25c ribbon; short lengths, at yard 10c
35c ribbon; short lengths, at yard 15c
45c or 40c ribbon; short lengths, at yard 19c
50c ribbon; short lengths, at yard 23c
95c ribbon; short lengths, at yard 45c
\$1.25 ribbon; short lengths, at yard 59c
(Main Floor)

Women's LISLE HOSE

Full fashioned; black, white or brown; all sizes from 8½ to 10. Seconds of our 75c values. Pair 45c

WOMEN'S SILK AND FIBER HOSE: Black or brown only; lisle garter top, heel, sole and toe; all sizes. Special, pair 88c
(Main Floor)

Allover Apron DRESSES

Of gingham or percale, made straight line or Jim Dandy styles. Each \$1.25

JERSEY PETTICOATS: Pretty contrasting colors with pleated ruffles; cut extra full. Each \$2.85

ALL-WOOL SWEATERS: In fancy stitching with sash belts. Each \$4.50
(Second Floor)

Clearance Prices on

Tapestry Brussels RUGS

9x12. Pretty patterns—(Seconds)—perfect rugs would sell for \$20.00. Special, each (as is) \$15

AX. RUGS 9x12; beautiful patterns; desirable colors; \$45.00 value. Special, each \$37.50

Lace Curtains ODD PAIRS: 2½ yards long; ivory or ecru; \$3.00 to \$7.00 value; ½ price, \$1.50 TO \$3.50 pair. (Third Floor)

Double Border Marquisette Ivory or ecru; 36-inch. Special, Yard 25c

HOUSEHOLD VASES

Fancy Flower 15c

Of heavy glass; 75 to be sold. Each

CAST ALUMINUM FRYING PANS with etched handle. Special, each \$1.89

DUST PANS: Black japanned; of good quality tin. Each 15c
(Downstairs)

GENUINE SAVINGS ON GROCERIES

"BORDEN'S" MALTED MILK: 50c size. Bottle 29c
\$1.00 size. Bottle 55c

"HECKER'S" FARINA: 20c value at 13c

"CHIPS" WASHING MACHINE SOAP: Small 15c value at 9c
Large: 35c value at 22½c

"C. F. C." PEANUT BUTTER: 3-1/2 lb. tin, 75c value; just 50 to 49c

SPICED APPLE BUTTER: Full 1½ pound tin, a wonderful value. 10c

"EXETER" CAKE FLOUR: Choice of Lemon Vanilla Chocolate or Devil's Food, an exceptional value at 9c this low price, carton (limit 12)

"Oakleaf" Australian JAM 13-ounce tin; broken line of fruits. Special Tuesday, while quantity lasts, tin 12½c
(Downstairs)

GENUINE OLD FASHIONED SOY GUM SYRUP: 2-pound tin 29c
50c value at 29c

"DEL MONTE" CHOW-CHOW: Tall tin; regular 17½c value at 10c

"BARATARIA" SHRIMP: Large tin; Tuesday only, while 960 tins last, each 22½c
(Limit 6 tins)

SOLID PACK TOMATOES: "Brands Brand": No. 2½ tin. Tuesday only, tin 12½c

"MRS. MAYER'S" PIE FILLING or PIE CRUST: Large tin; usually 29c, at 13c

"WALL RIVE" OLIVES: Tall cylinder tin; 20c value; tin 12½c

Women's Rest Room—Public Phone. Second Floor.

WHITTHORNE & SWAN-WASHINGTON STREET AT 11TH

Charge Purchases

made tomorrow and the balance of the month go on January statements, payable February 10th.

Manheim & Mazor

26 Specialty Shops **BROADWAY**
Under One Roof At Fifteenth

Every Sale Final

The extraordinary values prevailing during this event permit no exchanges, no refunds; every sale final.

5 Great Days of Super-Value Giving For the Last Week of the Year

This sale offers the year's opportunity to save money. Our entire merchandising efforts have been used to make this Year-End Sale the greatest achievement in value-giving of the entire year.

NEWEST WINTER GARMENTS

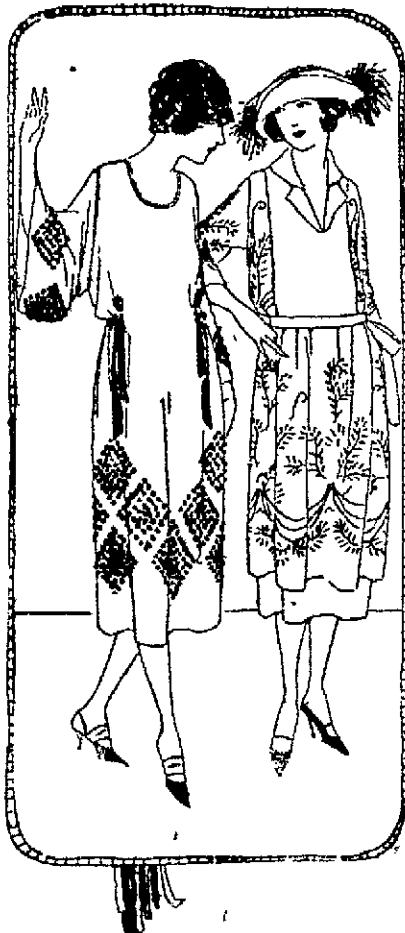
at $\frac{1}{4}$ $\frac{1}{3}$ $\frac{1}{2}$ off

DRESSES

The season's prettiest dresses—silk, wool and velvet—may be had at reductions that should compel absolute clearance!

Formerly to \$29.50 —now on sale for	\$19	Formerly to \$37.50 —now on sale for	\$23
Formerly to \$45.00 —now on sale for	\$29	Formerly to \$55.00 —now on sale for	\$39
Formerly to \$65.00 —now on sale for	\$47	Formerly to \$79.50 —now on sale for	\$54

(Dress Shop, Second Floor)



CLEARANCE OF Raincoats

Rubberized and cravenette, in gabardine, leather, silk and poplin.

\$7 \$14 \$19

Reg. \$12.95 to \$35



Clearance of Winter

COATS

Plain and fur trimmed, and in every wanted material.

Values to \$29.50 On sale now at	\$19
Values to \$45.00 Now on sale at	\$27
Values to \$65.00 Are on sale at	\$37
Values to \$75.00 Now on sale at	\$47
Values to \$85.00 Are on sale for	\$57

(Coat Shop, Second Floor)



Drastic Reductions on

SUITS

In all materials; most of them are fur trimmed.

Values to \$57.50 Are on sale for	\$23
Values to \$69.50 on sale for	\$34
Values to \$85.00 reduced to	\$39
Values to \$95.00 Now reduced to	\$44
Values to \$112.50 Are now on sale at	\$49

(Suit Shop, Second Floor)

A Nationally Famous Make!

Pure Silk Hosiery

—Famous Pointed Heel **\$1.98**
Also a few Chiffon Hóse

Black, navy, gray, brown and white. A good assortment, but not all sizes in each style. Slight imperfections that are hardly perceptible.

(Hosiery Shop, Main Floor)

Jewelry and Leather Goods

Now **$\frac{1}{4}$ Off**

Hand Bags
Vanity Boxes
Beaded Bags
Pearls
Bar Pins
Combs

and
Our entire stock of jewelry and bags included

Year-End Clearance of Winter Hats

Our entire stock of Winter Hats in 5 sale groups

\$3.95	\$5.95	\$7.95
\$12.95	\$14.95	

Wonderful Values! Drastic Reductions!
(Hat Shop, Second Floor)

Blouse Clearance

\$5.95	\$7.95	\$9.85
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Blouses, overblouses and tailored models are included in this clearance sale. Values which have not been seen in a long time.

(Blouse Shop, Main Floor)

Women's Beacon Blanket Robes

\$4.95	\$5.95	\$6.95	\$8.95
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Worth \$7.95 Worth \$10 Worth \$12.50 Worth \$14.95
In lovely lounging robe effects. Light or dark colorings.
(Negligee Shop, Second Floor)

Year-End Sale in the Children's Shop

Special Clearance Price on

Girls' Coats

Novelty mixtures and the desirable plain colors. Tailored models and dressy styles, many with fur collars. Not all sizes in each style, but a good variety.

Values to \$14.75

Girls' Novelty Coats
\$10.75 \$14.75 to \$39.50

Values \$14.95, \$18.75 to \$49.50

Girls' Dresses

\$5.75 \$7.75 \$9.75 to \$24.75

Values \$8.95, \$12.50, \$15.75 to \$49.50

Silk, velvet and serge dresses. Very exclusive models in youthful style sure to please each young miss. Styles suitable for either school or dress wear.

Girls' Winter Hats

\$1.95 \$3.95 \$4.95 to \$9.75

Values \$2.50, \$4.95, \$7.95 to \$13.50

SOLDIER'S PLIGHT PUZZLES PROBES FOR SIXTY YEARS

New England Volunteer Vanishes While On Furlough At National Capital.

The Civil War brought about many mysterious disappearances; but one of the most remarkable of them all was that of Harvey B. Wentworth, a New Hampshire farmer lad, who went away on a furlough one day in July, 1862 and was never heard from thereafter. Naturally, there were a number of cowards who deserted the colors either because of fear or dissatisfaction with the war, in which they were treated, but everything pointed to the fact that this was not the case with young Wentworth. As a result all possible efforts were made to discover what had become of him. But in vain. He had apparently vanished as completely as if the earth had opened and swallowed him.

Early in July, 1862, a new regiment of volunteers was mustered into service in the vicinity of Suncook, N. H. A regiment known as the Nineteenth New Hampshire Volunteers. One of the most enthusiastic members of this regiment was young Wentworth, a private in Company D. He was a farmer boy of exceptional good habits, intelligent and inquisitive. Therefore, when the regiment encamped on the Virginia side of the Potomac near the Aqueduct Bridge and Wentworth requested a furlough to see the sights of the capital, it was granted without a moment's hesitation. In company with a number of others he left camp—and was never heard from again. At the next roll call he was marked "not present" and, some days later was entered as having mysteriously disappeared.

HONOR IS CLEARED
No one ever believed that Wentworth had deserted. He was not such a coward. A special court of inquiry was called and after considering the meager evidence in the case, reported that Wentworth had "disappeared." In view of his character and antecedents we clear him from the charge of desertion and recommend that his military record be regarded as without stain.

This opinion was principally based upon the fact that Wentworth had never been heard to complain of the hardships of army life, even during the lean months southward from New Hampshire. In fact, he had been too short a time in the service of it and had been treated with the utmost consideration. His being a captain of the company of which he was a member. Moreover, there was plenty of evidence that the New Hampshire boy had been extremely anxious to reach the front and see something of real war. When he left camp he was full of youthful enthusiasm over the prospect of seeing the sights of Washington and apparently had never left the city. Sentinels had been posted at every exit of the city and, as well as along its leading thoroughfares, and no one could get by them without having his pass recorded. The records of these guards showed that the missing youth had presented his pass on entering the western limits of the city and they indicated his progress along Pennsylvania avenue to the Capitol. But, after that, all trace of him was lost.

ALL TRACE LOST
The thorough investigation which followed his disappearance showed that he had last been seen on the brow of Capitol Hill, looking over the city spread out before him. All about him were masons and stone-cutters, were busy at an extension to the Capitol. Below him was a labyrinth of partly-covered excavations for the sub-basement of the new extension.

What could have become of him? Did he meet with foul play, and, if so how was his body concealed? Did he fall a prey to the bullet of some Confederate spy? Was it possible that, while exploring the labyrinthine mazes of the new portion of the Capitol he was overcome by the heat and fell into some dark abyss, where his remains were later wallowed up and entombed?

Had he deserted Wentworth would have eventually returned to New Hampshire, if only for the purpose of keeping in touch with conditions there. But nothing was ever heard of him in any section of the country and the only mark to his memory in the monument in the little churchyard in Suncook, N. H. which bears the lettering "Harvey B. Wentworth—Mysteriously disappeared from the knowledge of men—Washington, D. C., July, 1862—(Copyright 1921, by

WOMAN-CLAIMS UNKNOWN HERO

ROME, Dec. 26.—A dramatic incident of the funeral of the Unknown Warrior in Rome has just become known. On the last night when the coffin was exposed in the grand church of Santa Maria degli Angeli, a poor old woman who had come from Venice appeared at the church and passionately implored those in command to allow her to see the form within the coffin because she declared her dead son had appeared to her in a vision and had assured her that his was the body buried in the sacred receptacle. Flinging herself on her knees she cried: "I implore you for the sake of the Madonna, let me stay here all night, and then when all the people have gone away, you will surely let me look just once again on my boy."

She was kindly and tenderly told that her desire was impossible of fulfillment and it was with great difficulty that she was persuaded to leave the church.

It will perhaps be a comfort to the poor, old woman that she will certainly believe to her dying day that her boy rests in the great monument of the Italian nation.

PLEA OF LITTLE BOY WINS HIS FATHER PARDON

JOLIET, Ill., Dec. 26.—Raymond Mealy, a convict, walked out of the state penitentiary yesterday a free man. His little 4-year-old son had won his freedom for him as a Christmas present.

Mealy was convicted of stealing automobile tires in Chicago in 1920 and sent to prison for five years. His wife and two children, a boy and girl, were left in poverty. They found refuge with the Salvation Army. Then the little girl died. The mother was heart-broken.

An application for Mealy's pardon was rejected by the pardon board Saturday, and the board was leaving when the little boy—Edward Mealy—accompanied, by a Salvation Army worker, rushed up to A. D. Warner, a member of the board.

"You will let my papa come home Christmas, won't you?" the child pleaded.

Warner stooped down, talked to the child and after hearing his story arranged for a special session of the board. He won over the other members and the pardon was recommended.

Governor Smith issued the pardon and the prisoner was with his wife and little boy last night.

Poor Cobbler Heir To \$10,000,000 Estate

HAVENHILL, Mass., Dec. 26.—Patrick Canning, poor cobbler, and Patrick Canning, lifted to riches by the will of an uncle, who died in Monte Carlo, was much the same. But the multi-millionaire cobbler, for the legacy approximately \$10,000,000, plans to give his house a coat of paint. He could not afford that before. Beyond that—well, he hasn't made up his mind.

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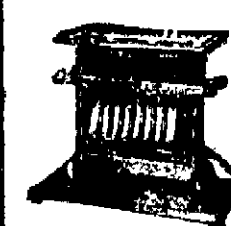
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SUITS DRESSES

Clearance Prices

\$19.75 \$29.75
\$39.75 \$49.75

—There are more attractive suits offered at these prices in this event than one would ordinarily expect to find in the complete stock of some stores. And every suit we have must go—hence the extraordinary underpricings.

Women's Lounging Robes \$4.10

—Attractive robes of embossed and wide wale corduroy or Beacon blanket robing. Clearance Sale price \$4.10.

Children's Coats Underpriced

\$9.85 \$12.95 \$14.95 \$16.50

—Serviceable winter coats in smart juvenile styles for girls of six to fourteen years

Children's Rain Capes \$1.98

—Waterproofed rain capes with hood, exceptionally good value at \$1.98.

Women's Knitted Capes \$2.95

—Only 40 in the lot—popular knitted wool capes at the lowest prices of the season.

COATS

Clearance Prices

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—An assortment that is complete enough to offer opportunity for selection in smart coats to meet every woman's purse and preferences. Grouped in five lots—decidedly underpriced.

A Special Lot of 40 Coats at \$14.85

—Just an even forty—coats of plush or wool materials. Worth double this price and more. Come early!

Street Dresses and Evening Gowns

Clearance Prices

\$17.85 \$26.85 \$36.85
\$46.85 \$66.85 \$76.85

—From a season radiant with smart, youthful flocks comes this interesting array of attractive dresses and evening gowns for immediate clearance at prices that mean unusual savings to you.

DRESSES

—Just 120 in the lot—smart street dresses of silk or wool materials in pleasing styles and trimming effects. Sale price—

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FURS AT CLEARANCE PRICES

FUR COATS

SEALINE COAT—With skunk collar and cuffs Sale price \$159.50
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JAPANESE KOLINSKY CAPE—Sale price \$159.50
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JAPANESE MINK CAPE—Sale price \$183.50
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FUR THROWS

DYED SKUNK THROWS—Sale prices \$97.50 to \$112.50
JAPANESE MINK THROWS—Sale prices \$67.50 to \$79.50
SQUIRREL THROWS—Sale price \$119.50 to \$167.50
NATURAL SKUNK THROWS—Sale price \$135.00

SCARFS

LYNN SCARFS—Black or taupe Sale price \$75.00
FOX SCARFS—Black or taupe Sale price \$39.50
BLACK WOLF SCARF—Sale price \$39.50
BLACK FOX SCARF—Sale price \$45.00

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MARTIN NECKPIECE, two skins \$39.50
MARTIN NECKPIECE, three skins \$97.50
FITCH NECKPIECE \$39.50
OPOSSUM NECKPIECE, brown \$9.85
OPOSSUM NECKPIECE, natural \$9.85
SQUIRREL NECKPIECE \$15.00

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—Women's raincoats in tan or gray rubberized material. Duplicates of these have sold for twice the price asked. Extra sizes only.

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—Women's attractive wool jersey sports suits in popular high colors. Greatly lowered in price at \$9.85.

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A Clearance of Dress Goods

Plaid and Stripe Skirtings \$1.95 yard

—Attractive plaid and stripe skirtings in the most popular patterns and colorings. All wool and 56 inches wide. Sale price \$1.95 yard.

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—Extra fine finish material of all wool quality in popular new shades. Width 48 inches. Sale price \$2.98 yard.

New Tricotine Suitings \$1.98 yard

—These are of extra fine weave, in medium and dark blue. All wool and 48 inches wide. Sale price \$1.98 yard.

Checked Cloth Suitings \$2.39 yard

—An ideal material for popular jumper suits. Attractive, wanted colors. All wool and 56 inches wide. Sale price \$2.39 yard.

Stripe Sports Skirting \$2.95 yard

—High-grade stripe skirtings in novel colorings and combinations, including plenty of black and white. All wool and 56 inches wide. Sale price \$2.95 yard.

Fancy Tweed Suitings \$1.95 yard

—The season's most favored material. Fancy mixed tweed suitings of all-wool quality in the 54-inch width. Sale price \$1.95 yard.

Chiffon Cloth Suitings \$3.45 yard

—Luster finish, chiffon cloth suitings in the season's most preferred shades. Sponged and shrunk. All wool and 56 inches wide. Sale price \$3.45 yard.

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—The ever-popular Epingle suitings in staple shades that are always in good taste. All wool and 56 inches wide. Sale price \$2.38 yard.

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—Serviceable velour suitings of all-wool quality in the 54-inch width. Various desirable shades for your selection. Sale price \$2.98 yard.

Velour Check Suitings \$2.48 yard

—Black and white velour check suitings of all-wool quality. Width 56 inches. Different sized checks. Sale price \$2.48 yard.

Mannish Suitings \$3.78 yard

—Attractive, mannish suitings in the new mixtures. All wool and 54 inches wide. Sale price \$3.78 yard.

Cleveland Worsted Serge \$1.45 yard

—Extra weight, Cleveland worsted serge suitings in medium and dark blue. All wool and 50 inches wide. Sale price \$1.45 yard.

Covert Cloth Suitings \$2.68 yard

—The new Covert cloth suitings in smart shades of tan and gray. 54 inches wide. Sale price \$2.68 yard.

Yalama Suitings \$3.69 yard

—Many desirable shades appear in the display of new Yalama suitings. All-wool quality, of course, and 56 inches wide. Sale price \$3.69 yard.

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—Serviceable, all-wool imported French plaids in smart colorings that will instantly meet approval. Width 48 inches. Sale price \$1.69 yard.

Auto Plaid and Check Coatings \$2.45 yard

—New auto plaid and check coatings of all-wool quality in the 56-inch width. Sale price \$2.45 yard.

Sedan Coatings \$3.95 yard

—Attractive new Sedan coatings in smart, fashionable shades. All wool and 56 inches wide. Sale price \$3.95 yard.

Lamola Coatings \$9.85 yard

—High grade silk and wool coatings in the newest shades. Width 56 inches. Sale price \$9.85 yard.

Evora Coatings \$8.85 yard

—Popular Evora coatings of all-wool quality in pleasing new shades. Width 56 inches. Sale price \$8.85 yard.

Marvella Coatings \$10.95 yard

—High-grade, all-wool quality Marvella coatings in beautiful shades for smart wraps. Width 56 inches. Sale price \$10.95 yard.

Kersey Coatings \$3.95 yard

—Luster finish Kersey coatings in popular shades. All wool and 56 inches wide. Sale price \$3.95 yard.

Bolivia Coatings \$5.95 yard

—Serviceable new Bolivia coatings in seasonable shades. All wool and 56 inches wide. Sale price \$5.95 yard.

Panther Cloth \$5.95 yard

—The new Panther cloth coatings in popular shades. All wool and 56 inches wide. Sale price \$5.95 yard.

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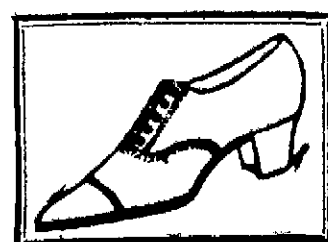
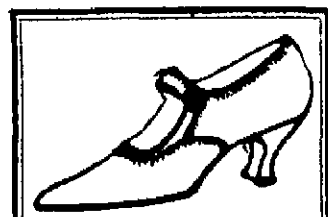
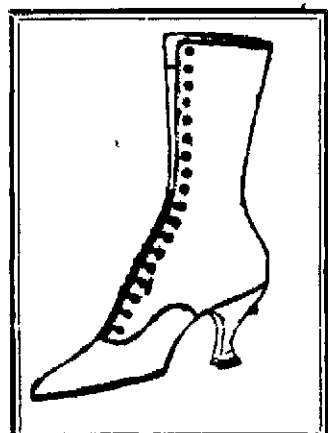
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Country Club Parties Big Event of Week

With Christmas festivities about to get underway for New Year's Eve parties, the country clubs will have their full quota of members and guests. At Claremont and Sequoyah Country clubs nearly 700 guests will be accommodated, the largest number at Claremont. Among the reservations for larger parties at Claremont are those of Mr. and Mrs. John P. Maxwell, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Alburn, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Arthur Perry, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence O. Flint, Mr. and Mrs. J. Coogan, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hamilton Hart, Mr. and Mrs. George Sherburne, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Lamberlain, Miss Florine Brown,

MISS MARION BENSON, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Mason Benson of this city, whose engagement to William Raymond Brocklehurst of Chabot Road is announced today.



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Former prices absolutely disregarded

Yes, regardless, that we had earlier in the month reduced prices on everything in the house, regardless that much of the apparel on the third floor is but two months old, regardless of original price markings, of style, quality, regardless of any other consideration, we have put such drastically low prices on everything that you will immediately recognize your advantage and buy.

Let us impress upon you that prices are much lower than during ordinary Clearance Sale time to compensate for the noise and confusion in the store due to the workmen who are here making Gerwin's a bigger and more beautiful store. We are making no mention of former original prices, leaving it to your knowledge of values and your judgment of price worthiness.

The Coats

in the Clearance Sale

If you asked us to pick out the coat in our stock that represented the utmost in value, quality and style, well—we'd just look and look at you and the coats—it just simply can't be done—every coat is a wonderful one—every coat is worthier of a higher price—every one is worth your while buying, and buying now.

Fur collars, if you like—without if you like—loose, swirling wrappy affairs—closely fitting, belted ones, beautiful silk linings—huge choky collars—anything and everything you want in a coat.

Well, as to prices—yes, you can buy a coat as low as \$9.85. Then there are in-between prices—and the last price is \$79.50, which buys just gorgeous affairs.

Tomorrow is the day of all days—we need not urge you to come—the values are here and waiting. Coats are upon racks—marked plainly—salespeople to help you. Come!

The Dresses

in the Clearance Sale

We can easily picture your look of amazement—your utter astonishment that such dresses—such perfectly beautiful ones—could possibly be placed in any sale at any time—anywhere—but we have made a point of giving you the unusual, the unexpected—at Gerwin's—and this occasion is no exception. If you have ever thought of buying a dress this is the time to do it.

There's no necessity to go into details—as to the exquisite beadings, the embroideries, the combinations of silk and Georgettes—of the sheen and loveliness of Canton crepes, tricotines, French serges—this you will see when you arrive tomorrow.

Prices we have not mentioned—but this we will say—there are some charming affairs, priced but \$16.85. And of course all the handsome frocks on our racks bear similar low prices.

(On the Third Floor)

Trimmed Hats

on the Second Floor to be cleared at once

\$3.50 \$6.50

It is not necessary to speak of the beauty—the style of Gerwin millinery—you know that—merely do we have to announce that beautifully trimmed hats have been drastically and decisively repriced to one of these two—and you'll come, and come early Tuesday.

Every possible style conceit of the Fall and Winter season is here—hats of all types, of all kinds and values you will instantly recognize.

Every velour—every sport and tailored hat

in the Clearance Sale at

\$2 \$4 \$6

Yes, think—nothing reserved on the first floor—every marvelously embroidered velour—every charming silk or velvet sport hat—all the dashing tailored hats—must move and move at one of these three prices. You'll be amazed—delighted—that such low prices exist—and you'll buy not one but two and three.

Remember the sale's Tuesday morning—and come early before the crowds gather—and get better selection.

(On the First Floor)

Savings of an extraordinary nature await you

"NEW POOR" IS TITLE OF LATEST CLASS IN LONDON

Former Society Women Ask
Help To Make Living
For Themselves.

LONDON, Dec. 26.—"Bad times in London have created a class known as the 'New Poor.' But, on the whole, they manage to get along pretty well. Now, however, the stress of the times has hit what is known as 'Society.'"

This statement is made by Mrs. F. J. Turquand, who during the war was in charge of 4,000 girls as lady superintendent of the great ordnance factory at Woolwich.

"I have been amazed of late," says Mrs. Turquand, "to receive large numbers of requests from my friends among society women declaring themselves to be in dire financial straits. They ask help to make a living for themselves."

"They tell me that greatly reduced circumstances compel them to endeavor to take up some kind of employment in order to make ends meet, but they do not know where to find work suitable to their ability and to retain some hold on their station in life."

"On the other hand, I receive letters from wealthy people—bachelors, widowers, widows, etc.—declaring they are at their wit's end to know how to run their establishments."

"I am trying to bring these two sections together to the mutual advantage, and I am beginning a special agency for that purpose."

"At the moment I have three Viscountesses and the wife of a British Ambassador recently returned from abroad—all wanting work. Also many widows who have had beautiful homes but who have been compelled to give them up."

"From all indications, I think I can fit these ladies into posts which they will fill perfectly."

Pioneer's Funeral Plans Are Made

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 26.—Funeral arrangements are being made for Peter Walsh, San Francisco pioneer, who died Christmas eve at his home, 178 Abbot avenue. Walsh had been a member of the old time volunteer fire department in San Francisco.

LOOK OUT DREADFUL SORENESS

When the kidneys are weakened or overworked so that they fail to filter and throw all impurities out of the blood, the poison remains in the system and backache, soreness, lameness and rheumatic pains are likely to develop. Mrs. David Henry, 65 S. Lincoln Ave., Washington, N. J., writes: "Poley Kidney Pills are doing me much good, both my kidneys and the rheumatism. They took all the dreadful soreness out of my limbs."

Sold Every where.—Advertisement

Legal War Looms for Estates of Archduke

By WEBB MILLER,
United Press Staff Correspondent.
PARIS, Dec. 26.—The plans are completed by a \$30,000,000 American syndicate for one of the biggest international legal battles in history for the possession of the vast estates of the Archduke Frederic of Austria, ex-commander of the Austro-Hungarian armies during the war.

The first move is an attack upon the interpretations by three Central European countries of the treaties of peace. A charge is to be lodged before the tribunals established by the treaties accusing the governments of Czechoslovakia, Jugoslavia and Austria of flouting the provisions of the treaties by confiscating the archduke's estates.

The American syndicate which has acquired rights to the administration of the properties includes Charles H. Sabin, J. Leonard Replegle, Frank A. Munsey, Thomas J. Fidler, Wil-

liam A. Honnard and Louis Chevrolet. Samuel Untermyer, the famous New York attorney, represented the syndicate in the preliminary negotiations in Vienna, Carlsbad and Paris.

The great estates of the archduke are valued at around \$200,000,000 and include the steel works and mines at Teschen, hundreds of thousands of acres of forest lands, sugar beet plantations, apartment buildings, several historic castles, a dairy industry and the wonderful Alhambra museum in Vienna.

Before the war the archduke was one of the wealthiest men in Europe. His estates yielded an income of from \$10,000,000 to \$15,000,000 per year. After the war the new states carved from the territories of Austria-Hungary confiscated or expropriated the estates on the ground that Frederic is a member of the Hapsburg family and that the confiscation was sanctioned by the peace treaties.

The archduke and the syndicate contends that the right of confiscation extends only to the state property of the former reigning family and not to the private fortune or citizens, because they happen to be connected with the Hapsburg family.

The claim is advanced that Frederic is only very distantly connected with the Hapsburgs that the bulk of the fortune was inherited from his uncle, Albrecht, who was commander of the Austrian armies in the wars against Napoleon.

Negotiations with the American syndicate were first started in Switzerland in 1919. The differences were adjusted in an agreement recently signed. The properties in Poland and Rumania may be retained without litigation owing to recent favorable decisions in their courts.

The deal constitutes one of the largest swung by American capital in Europe since the war.

RED BUREAUCRACY STIFLING RUSSIA

MOSCOW, Dec. 26.—(The Associated Press).—Sixteen locomotives were delivered by Germany to Petrograd before the port was closed on account of ice in the middle of November. It had been promised by port officials that Petrograd would be kept clear of ice until December 20, but the icebreakers failed to function.

There are many rumors as to the number of locomotives Russia has actually contracted for in Germany. Best informed foreign commercial experts say 600 is the actual number, and that the deposits on these are not sufficient to justify the Germans in starting a large number of the railway engines.

Railway equipment is so essential to moving raw materials which Russia may assemble at interior points that foreigners are watching the efforts of Russia to get railway supplies with unusual interest. So far the foreign trade agreements of the Bolshevik government have been chiefly paper achievements and the efforts of foreigners to do business in Russia have been so hampered by conflicting decrees and bureaucracy that even the Germans, with their advantageous geographical position and superior knowledge of the Russian markets, have been able to do but little.

Other imports for the first nine months of 1921 totaled about 700,000 tons. More than one-third of this was foodstuffs, chiefly from England. Fuel, which included coal from America, made up another third of the imports. Various metal articles made up one-fifth of the imports, and came chiefly from Germany.

Without grain for exportation Russia has little chance of buying extensively abroad, and the pressing problem of the Soviet government is how to get the seed grain and farming implements necessary to enable the peasants who survive the famine to put in a crop next spring.

ENGLAND GROWS NEW FILM CITY

LONDON, Dec. 26.—"Los Angeles-on-Thames" describes a wonderful film city, which is springing up at Walton-on-Thames.

Six big studios, with attendant buildings, are in course of erection, and Oatlands Park, a fine old English estate, has been acquired for the development of film manufacture.

It is appropriate that this development should take place at Walton for it was in the small kitchen of a house in Hurst Grove twenty-one years ago that Cecil Hepworth, the pioneer of British film production, made his first moving picture.

Since then the Hepworth firm alone has turned out 5500 films from one small studio, many of which have gained world-wide reputation. There was bound to be a reaction against the constant Californian settings of film pictures, and Great Britain more than favorably com-

pares with Los Angeles best. The Thames valley affords scenery that is incomparable anywhere.

A good deal of employment will be afforded British people, as it is intended to form resident stock companies to produce on the spot. Two engines from the German submarine, C-19, weighing ninety-four tons, have been adapted at Walton to make the new production center independent of the sunlight.

Oatlands Park, which will be the setting for many films, is a romantic spot, acquired for the Crown by Henry VIII in 1537. James I and Charles I occupied the palace, the ruins of which still stand.

A groto, costing over \$200,000, was built in the grounds by the Duke of Newcastle from shells of every description from all parts of the world. This weird building is still in existence.

Artificial stalactites, inlaid with satin, granite and coral, hang from the domed ceiling. The Allied Sovereigns dined there in 1814; in 1921 Leslie Henson used it for making the fun in "Alf's Button."

Men from public schools and universities, with experience of the various technicalities, have been quietly trained to take charge of the new productions.

OREGON TO HONOR DEAD CARTOONIST

SALEM, Ore., Dec. 26.—Oregon residents are raising funds for the erection of a monument over the grave of Homer Davenport, noted cartoonist, who was buried at his birthplace, Silverton, Ore., near here, nine years ago at the age of 43 years.

Davenport was raised at Silverton, where he lived until he was 12 years old. He was sent to the University of Oregon, where he was a member of the Phi Kappa Psi chapter.

Davenport never forgot Oregon or Silverton. One time, it is said, he was sent to interview Gladstone, England's great statesman. After getting by a cordon of guards, Davenport found Gladstone in his garden. The statesman asked Davenport his name and where he was from.

"Silverton, Oregon," was the reply. Gladstone got a map, looked up Silverton and then made his visitor welcome, later inviting him to call again.

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a picture. These books are cherished belongings today.

No one had taken Davenport's drawings seriously until a cousin of his came from Chicago and while he sat visiting, the boy drew his picture. The cousin was delighted and prevailed upon the elder Davenport, who had always expressed more faith in Homer than anyone else, to send his son to an art school in San Francisco. Soon young Homer was on the staff of a San Francisco daily and it was but another step to New York.

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Bay Pioneer Woman Dies At Centerville

A pioneer of 152, Mrs. Ellen Yates, widow of William H. Yates, died yesterday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. M. L. Mowry, in Centerville.

Mrs. Yates was born in New Orleans, 80 years ago and as a young girl accompanied her parents to California by way of the Isthmus. She had resided in San Francisco almost continuously ever since. Her husband, William H. Yates, was one of the early grain merchants in California and one of the organizers of the San Francisco Grain Exchange. He died twenty years ago.

Three daughters and two sons survive her. Mrs. D. C. Barber of Los Angeles, Mrs. M. L. Mowry of Centerville, and Mrs. Windfield Scott, Walter H. Yates and William F. Yates of San Francisco.

HUSBAND KNEW BETTER.

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 26.—"Ask your wife to be quiet," said Judge Clier to Henry Ferguson in a case on trial in county court. "I would much rather you did it, your honor," replied Ferguson.

Oakland Store
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Tomorrow---The Most Spectacular
Selling Event of the Year

ANNUAL CLEARANCE SALE

Extraordinary Reductions

That Bring Women's Suits, Coats &
Dresses Down to Unheard-of Prices

Pay Only \$68.85 Now for Our Highest Priced Coats
Pay Only \$48.85 Now for Our Highest Priced Suits
Pay Only \$48.85 Now for Our Highest Priced Dresses

The women's coats at \$68.85 were formerly priced as high as \$145.00 and are richly trimmed with Squirrel, Beaver and Nutria fur. Another group at \$48.85 includes fur trimmed coats that were formerly up to \$95. Silk lined coats that are now priced \$18.85 were formerly \$35 and more. And there is one group of fur trimmed Bolivia coats at \$28.85 that were \$50.00 and higher. Also there are 25 coats which we will close out at the amazing price of \$12.85.

Girls' Coats, ages 6 to 14 years, are repriced at \$7.85, \$12.85 to \$22.85.

The women's suits include some unprecedented values. Many of those that are now \$48.85 were formerly as high as \$89.50. Some are richly silk lined. Then there are suits at \$38.85, \$24.85 and \$18.85, many of which were formerly double their present prices. The dress values are uncommonly good. One group at \$23.85 includes lovely creations of Canton crepe, satin, tricotine and Poiret twill—values to \$50.00. Another lot at \$15.85 includes all wool tricotine dresses formerly at \$39.50. A small group of jumper dresses is offered at \$3.95.

Prices Uncommonly Low on These

Blouses, Petticoats, Robes and Smocks

We have 140 attractive Georgeette and mignonette blouses—values to \$5.00—which we will close out at \$1.85. Also a sale group of Georgeette and crepe de Chine blouses, values to \$6.50, which will go at \$2.85.

Overblouses that were formerly priced as high as \$7.50 may be had at \$3.85.

All our finest blouses have been reduced to figures correspondingly low.

Jersey silk petticoats cut down to \$1.85.

Women's blanket robes, various odds and ends, in a sale group at \$2.65.

Corduroy and blanket robes, values to \$7.50, now \$3.85. Linene smocks, complete clearance; formerly up to \$2.00, at 48c.

Drastic Millinery Reductions

Missy Felt Hats at \$1.75

Mostly tailored styles of velvet and felt, though some are trimmed ready for wear. Values range up to \$7.50.

Untrimmed Hats 95c

They are of due-velour and velour felt and some are tailored. In point of value they are remarkably fine.

Clearance Prices on Boys' Clothing

One odd lot of 50 boys' knicker suits, sizes 14 to 17 only, worth two or three times the price. CLEARANCE PRICE

\$5

Boys' 2 pants suits in the sale at greatly reduced prices, all wool fancy chevrons, made in the newest models. CLEARANCE PRICE \$8.15, \$9.65, \$11.85 Boys' guaranteed all wool blue chevion knicker suits in the new models with inverted pleats, a wonderful value at the regular price. CLEARANCE PRICE \$11.85 Suits for the little boys, button-to-neck style in new norfolk, sizes 4 to 8. CLEARANCE PRICE \$6.45 New models in boys' overcoats, nice warm coats that turn up around the neck, made with regular and raglan sleeves, sizes 3 to 8. CLEARANCE PRICE \$9.95 Overcoats for bigger boys, in fancy mixtures, new models and coloring, greatly reduced, sizes 10 to 17. CLEARANCE PRICE \$10.85

Young men's suits at appealing prices, all wool suits in every new coloring, cut to prices you cannot resist. CLEARANCE PRICES \$22.35, \$27.85, \$33.45, \$38.75

Young men's overcoats in all wool, with or without belts, regular or raglan sleeves. CLEARANCE PRICES \$16.95, \$27.75

Boys' flannel shirts in gray or khaki, sizes 12½ to 14½, at reduced prices. CLEARANCE PRICES \$1.35, \$1.65, \$1.85

Boys' ribbed fleeced union suits, in gray or ecru. CLEARANCE PRICE \$95c

Boys' plush and velvet hats, in all colors and shapes. CLEARANCE PRICE \$20% OFF

Boys' full shape caps in all colors and styles. CLEARANCE PRICE \$1.15

Your New Suit Made To Your Measure for \$46

Here's a winner—men's made to order suits of worsteds, tweeds, chevrons and cassimeres, styled by a master craftsman and priced for this occasion down to \$46.

Men's Hats Reduced in the Annual Clearance Sale

A special sale group of former \$4.00 felt hats at \$1.95. Regular \$7.00 Mallory hats \$5.95. Broken lines \$5.00 hats \$3.95. Cloth hats reduced to \$2.65, and heavy weight caps of imported tweed—strap, plain and pleated back models, are \$1.65.

Every Man's Suit and Overcoat Reduced

in this

SALE

Prices Have Been Cut to

**\$23.75, \$27.75,
\$33.75, \$37.75
and \$43.75**

And the highest priced Suit or
Overcoat in stock may now
be had for \$47.75

Retail prices on men's clothes are now approximately 40% less than they were. In spite of this downward tendency we have made further drastic reductions for this annual clearance sale and are offering in both suits and overcoats the amazingly low prices listed above. Choose from the smartest styles, the highest qualities, the finest tailoring and be sure of a record low price.

Men's Furnishings in the Clearance

Many Items at Cost or Near It. All
Dependable Merchandise

Working goods special

\$1.45—Madras shirts, fancy stripes and colorings, regular price \$2.00.
\$1.95—Heavy madras shirts of corded material, always sold at \$2.50.
\$2.65—Silk stripe madras shirts, worth \$3.50.

Underwear reductions

\$2.95—Richmond worsted union suits, regular \$3.50.
\$3.95—Heavy Richmond worsted union suits, regular \$4.50.
\$4.95—Wool Richmond union suits, regular \$5.00.

\$6.00—Silk and wool Richmond union suits, regular price \$7.50.
\$9.25—Winsted wool, medium weight shirt and drawers, regular \$2.60.

\$9.80—Winsted wool super-weight shirt and drawers, regular price \$3.00.

Hosiery

Genuine radium cotton hose, special 2 for 35c, or a pair \$1.00.

Winsted worsted hosiery, 10c; regular 50c.

Genuine holeproof hose, 2 pair for \$1.00.

Genuine holeproof silk hose, 75c.

Heavy weight holeproof silk hose, special \$1.15.

OUR GREAT

Year-End Sale

Commences Tuesday, Dec. 27th

It will be the most sensational
PRICE-CUTTING SALE ever
held in Oakland.

It is a rounding up of remarkable
values in COATS and
DRESSES.

50 New Winter Coats To sell at much less than they cost the manufacturer **\$10**

"What kind of Coats can be sold for such a price?"
Well, read this---
Velour Coats, with fur trimmings or without, all silk lined.

A \$25 Coat Sale consisting of high-class Bolivia, Velour and Beaver Cloth, with large fur collars and handsomely embroidered.

A SURPRISING SALE OF DRESSES

At \$5 Could anyone imagine being able to buy a pretty Serge or Jersey Dress at anything like this \$5 price?

At \$25 Those knowing values will realize immediately what a saving is to be had at Donner's, for these dresses are wonderful!

FOR VALUES

Rent
Small

Donner's

Small
Expense

1450 San Pablo Ave.

Draperies—Rugs

Buy now when Clearance Prices prevail
Imported Irish Point Lace Curtains
Greatly Reduced

\$12.50 to \$13.75 Curtains, pair	\$ 9.85
\$15.00 Curtains, pair	11.25
\$20.00 Curtains, pair	14.35
\$11.50 Curtains, pair	8.65
\$9.50 to \$10.00 Curtains, pair	7.95
\$7.00 to \$7.75 Curtains, pair	5.85
\$4.50 Curtains, pair	3.65

Curtain Materials

CROSS-BAR SCRIM that usually sells for 85c, splendid 36-inch ivory and ecru material.	55c
VOILE WITH PRINTED BORDERS—Dainty colorings. Fine quality that usually brings 85c for yard.	50c
VOILE AND MARQUINETTE with banded borders. Yard wide white ivory and ecru material that usually costs 65c, special for the clearance, yard.	39c
CABLE MARQUINETTE, 36 inches wide, regularly 65c.	49c
CABLE MARQUINETTE, the 85c quality. Clearance.	55c
36-INCH PLAIN VOILE, the very fine 85c quality for yard.	45c
NETS, TILTS AND ALLOVER WEAVES, values to \$1.25.	85c

An Extra Clearance Special
Voiles, Scrims, Marquinettes---24c
A grand assortment of odds and ends marked to sell rapidly.
(Third Floor, Capwells)

Time to Buy Draperies

Sample Drapes 1/2 Price

We cut these to show customers so they are among the prettiest patterns in our stocks, and draped in the newest styles, but there's only one drapery of each kind. 60 inches to 2 1/2 yards long. Every one to go for HALF PRICE.

TWO-TONE SUNFAST DRAPERY, 50 inches wide; regularly \$2.75. Clearance.	\$1.95
ARTIFICIAL SILK DRAPERIES (commonly known as Fiber Silk).	\$3.50
The 50-inch kind; rose, mulberry and blue; regularly \$4.00.	\$2.50
SILK POPLIN, the \$6.00 kind; a limited quantity at the clearance price of yard.	\$3.50

Cretones

Former 45c to 65c	29c	Former 85c Cretones (mill lengths), yard	45c
Cretones, yard	39c	Former \$1.25 Cretones (mill lengths), yard	75c
Former 65c to 85c	40c	Former \$1.50 Cretones (mill lengths), yard	95c

Genuine Oriental Rugs

1/4 to Almost 1/2 Off

Have a charm and joy of a real Oriental at just about the price of a modern domestic.
There are old rugs—their colors subdued and rendered more beautiful by the years.
There are colorful new rugs with the brightness of recent weaving.

LOT 1, \$65

Regularly to \$125.

Antique, Berber, Moslems, Persians and Belouchistans. Sizes 3 1/2 x 6 1/2 to 4 x 6.

LOT 2, \$137.50

Originally to \$225.

Laristons, Dozars, Bidjars, Kurdistans, Belouchistans and Bukharas. The 4 x 7 size.

Let our native expert repair and wash your Oriental Rugs
(Third Floor, Capwells)

Rugs 20% Off

All Rag Rugs, Fiber Rugs, Grass Rugs and Axminster Rugs to be cleared at 20% less than their values.

All Mahogany Furniture 20% Off

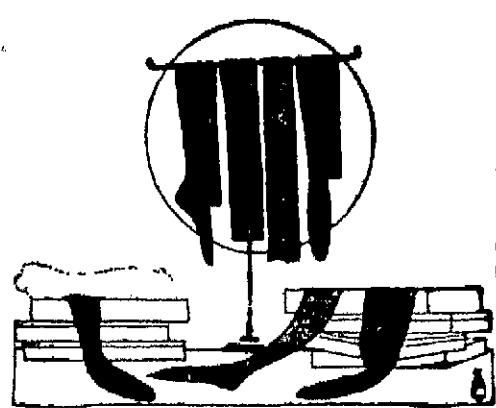
Smokers, tea wagons, gate leg tables, etc.

All Wicker Furniture 20% Off

Chairs, rockers, ferneries, etc.

All Cretonne and Matting Covered Chests 20% Off

Women's Hosiery



Greatly Reduced
Women's Silk Hose
\$1

Women's pure silk hose with full-fashioned lisle foot and deep lisle garter top. Black and cordovan. There are only 500 pairs in this price-group.

Women's Outsize Hose 59c

Regularly \$1.00.

Outsize lisle thread hose, semi-fashioned, rib top. Black, white and cordovan. Sizes 9 and 9 1/2 only.

Women's Silk Hose

\$1.95

Because of slight imperfections, \$3.75 would be the price if these were perfect, yet the imperfections are so slight as to really be of no importance. Medium and light weights with full fashioned lisle foot and reinforced garter tops. Black, cordovan, Russian calf gray and fawn. They were bought for this sale from America's leading maker of fine hosiery.
(First Floor, Capwells)

Women's Silk-and-Wool Hose 95c

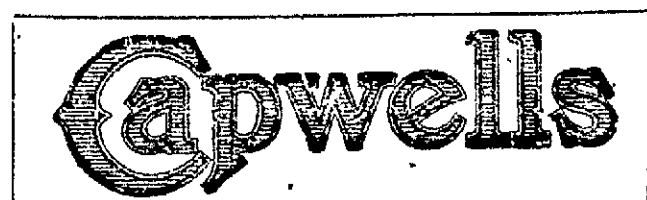
Slightly imperfect. Unimportant imperfections make this price possible. Heather mixtures, plain and fancy weaves. Don't miss this.
(First Floor, Capwells)

Boys' Wool Mixed Sports Sox 59c

Regularly \$1.00. An important semi-annual saving on three-quarters wool mixed sports socks with colored roll tops. Sizes 10 and 10 1/2.
(First Floor, Capwells)

Beginning Tuesday at 9 a.

A Big Semi-Annual Event That Usually Beg
Meet Your Needs Sooner. Christmas
Farther. Commanding Reduction



DRESS GOODS

Spend your Christmas check for material for a new dress at these big savings.

Plaid and Striped Skirtings

Formerly \$4.50, for Beautiful fabrics and twelve different patterns to choose from! 54 inches wide. Surprisingly good value.

42-inch Epingle and

40-inch Serges, \$1.69

Marked way below their regular prices for the clearance sale. Twenty pieces in a wide range of colors and patterns of excellent quality.

Imported Woolens 1/4 Off

A most desirable sale! There are many beautiful patterns in these high-grade imported woolens: Plaid and stripes in many colors.

Our Entire Stock of Coatings 1/4 Off

Substantially reduced for the final clearance. Included are fashionable Marcellas, Bolivias, Estrellas and many others in wanted shades.

54-inch All-Wool Skirtings

Formerly \$5.50 yard for Many stripes and plaids in tans, browns and navys. Big value.

54-in. Wool Velours \$3.69

Of rich, firm texture and in a complete range of colors. If you have garments needs, benefit by these savings.

All Wool Broadcloths \$2.48

A great bargain. Truly remarkable is this clearance value! Handsome 48-inch woolens in all colors, navys included.
(First Floor, Capwells)

Discontinued Models of

Lavelle Corsets \$3.95 to \$8.95

Formerly \$5.00 to \$15.00.

Front and back lace models—one for almost every figure, but not offering a complete range of sizes.

Madame Grace and Graceful Stout Corsets Reduced

\$2.48, \$3.48, \$3.95 and \$5.95 are the clearance prices on these popular front and back lace corsets of pink, white, medium and low bust.

Gossard Corsets—Discontinued Models 1/4 Off

Second Floor—Capwells

Brassieres

Discontinued Models 1/4 and 1/2 Off

Among these are the popular Bien Jolie, Ovide, Pansy, De Bevoise and Nature's Rivals.
(Second Floor, Capwells)

Women's Knit Envelope Chemise \$1.29

Reduced from \$1.69 and \$1.89.

"Annette" brand knitted cotton envelope chemises in pink and white.

Women's Nu Shape Union Suits \$1.29

Reduced from \$1.69.

A popular knee length union suit with cap sleeves.

Extra Special!

Kayser Ribbed Union Suits \$2.29 and \$2.39

Well-made Marvelfit Kayser Swiss ribbed lisle union suits. Odds and ends and clearance lots.
(Second Floor, Capwells)

Trimmings and Laces

A Selection of Beaded and Embroidered Flouncings 1/4 Off

Here are beautiful beaded and embroidered silk net flouncings in many shades. Many alluring antique, silver and gold patterns among them. The regular price on these yardwide flouncings are \$3.95 to \$27.50 a yard.

Many Beaded Bands and Gimps 1/4 Off Marked Prices

The bands are of metal and colored silk, embroidered and beaded; the gimps are of black braid studded in metallic effects and with black bead motifs. They're regularly \$2.50 to \$16.50, but will be cleared for one-fourth off marked prices.
(First Floor, Capwells)

All Novelty Drape Veils and Fancy Mesh Veilings 1/4 Off Marked Prices

Black, brown, navy, Copenhagen, rose, orchid and henna are the colors. A few have combination French dots.
(First Floor, Capwells)

Fine Fur Trimmings 1/4 Off

For trimmings of mole, beaver, squirrel, skunk, opossum, mink, raccoon, wolf, etc. One-third off marked prices. FINE UNLINED FUR COLLARS ONE-THIRD OFF MARKED PRICES. TOP! Thousands of cape effects.
(First Floor, Capwells)

For Your Convenience

All purchases made during the Semi-Annual Clearance Sales will be charged on the February 1922 bills.

Broken Lines Of

Silk Lingerie and Silk Petticoats

1/4 Off Marked Prices

Beautiful crepe de chine and satin lingerie with dainty touches of trimming, and handsome silk petticoats have their prices cut one-fourth for the clearances. Some are slightly mused, but the values are wonderful.
(Second Floor, Capwells)

Women's Aprons

Drastic reductions bring these needfuls to a very low price level.

All-Over Percale Aprons 89c

Formerly \$1.95, for

Women will find rare bargains in this clean-up of sturdy percale aprons. Some are slightly soiled.

Women's All-Over Aprons \$1.29

Formerly \$2.45, for

In attractive all-over styles of percales and gingham, some with fancy trimmings. A few are slightly soiled.

Clean-up Sale of Women's Petticoats

Formerly \$1.95 to \$3.95, for 89c

Clearing away women's heatherbloom and sateen petticoats in purple, rose, green and navy. Some slightly mused. Big bargains.

Women's Sateen Petticoats \$2.95

Formerly \$4.95 for

Flowered flouncings with solid color tops in rose, Copenhagen and green. A chance to save almost half.

Women's Sateen Petticoats \$1.48

Formerly \$2.95, for

These are solid color sateen petticoats in green, Copenhagen, king's blue and plum and are sharply underpriced.
(Second Floor, Capwells)

Notions

HAIR NETS, cap and fringe shape. Special.	39c	SKIRT GAUGES for lengthening skirts. Special.	\$1.45
6 DRESS SHIELDS. Sizes 2, 3 and 4. Special.	29c	CUFF PROTECTORS—Black or white. Special, pair.	5c

Notion Specials 1/4 Off

Rubberized House Aprons 1/4 OFF
Fancy Garters, broken lines 1/4 OFF
Needle Books 1/4 OFF
Fancy Elastic 1/4 OFF
(First Floor, Capwells)

Broken Lines of Notions on Sale at 1c

PEARL HAT PINS, white and colored. Special.	1c	TATTING SHUTTLES—Special.	1c
WIRE HAIR PINS. Special.	1c	"AMERICAN MAID" PINS.	1c
BLACK DRESS FASTENERS. Special, card.	1c	KHAKI TAPE. Yard very special for	1c
ELASTIC CORSET LACES—Flesh and white, 1/2 yard for	1c	HODKIN NEEDLES. Assorted. Special.	1c

NOTIONS

2 for 5c

PEARL BUTTONS, small and medium. Special.	2 for 5c	DRESS BELTING, 2 1/2 and 3 inches; black and white.	2 yards for 5c
ASSORTED SAFETY PINS. Special, card.	2 for 5c	HOOKS AND EYES, black and white. Special.	2 for 5c
BIAS TAPE, 6 yards to the piece, 2 for	5c	STOCKING DARNERS. Special 2 for	5c

Ribbon Novelties at 1/4 Off

WOMEN'S HAND-MADE GARTERS.....REDUCED 1/4
ALL POWDER PUFFS AND VANITIES.....REDUCED 1/4
LINGERIE SETS.....REDUCED 1/4
SACHETS.....REDUCED 1/4

Clearance of NARROW RIBBONS 1c a Yard

Satin, organza and fancy ribbons in narrow widths.

All Mused Hair Bows 1/4 Off!

Holiday accumulations of short lengths of

Ribbons 1/4 Price

All widths and all lengths from Capwells' wonderful pre-holiday showings. Come early for the best choice.
(First Floor, Capwells)

Throughout the store the maximum price reductions of the radio made on many goods from regular stocks; this sale has for its purpose prices to achieve this end before our buyers leave for the east.

Clearance of Blouses

Georgette and Crepe de Chine Blouses

Formerly \$3.95 to \$5.95 \$2.79

Many different styles in tucked and over-blouse models with long or short sleeves. In white, flesh, Copenhagen, navy, bisque and brown. Benefit by these savings!

Women's Silk Blouses

Formerly \$4.95 to \$6.95. \$3.98

Of georgette crepe and crepe de chine in a splendid selection of styles and colors. Some are beautifully beaded and embroidered; others are designed along tailored lines.

Crepe de Chine, Georgette and Tricolette Blouses, \$6.95

Some almost half price, as their former prices ranged to \$12.50. Lovely tucked and over-blouse models in fetching collarless styles or with roll or Buster Brown collar. Round, square or V-neck and a good color range.

Crepe de Chine and Georgette Blouses

Formerly \$12.50 to \$14.95 \$9.85

Cleverly fashioned of georgette and crepe de chine for dress wear. Some are handsomely beaded or embroidered, others daintily lace trimmed. Both long and short sleeves.

1/3 Off On All Our Blouses

Priced Over \$18.50

Exquisite blouses of georgette, crepe de chine, satin and finest voiles, cleverly designed and trimmed.
(Second Floor, Capwells)

Women's Flannel

Middies

Sale Prices \$5.95 and \$6.95

Formerly \$7.50 to \$9.50. Regulation styles in navy and red.

Morning and Porch Dresses

Reduced 10% to 20%

A golden opportunity to replenish Wash Dress needs at savings. Well-made of gingham, chambray and crepe in many attractive styles and colorings.
(Second Floor, Capwells)

Our Entire Stock Of Women's Smocks Reduced to

\$1.69

Formerly \$2.95 to \$3.95.

Highly attractive styles of Japanese crepe, poplin and sponge sport material, trimmed with yarn embroidery or contrasting colors. Good color range.

Women's Kimonos, \$1.69

A clearing away of women's cotton crepe and flannelette kimonos that were formerly \$2.50 and \$2.95.

Crepe and Flannelette

Kimonos

Formerly \$2.95 to \$3.95 \$2.35

Straight-line models or styles shirred at the waistline with elastic are in attractive patterns with long or short sleeves. Ribbon and cord trimmed.
(Second Floor, Capwells)

Fascinating Novelty Jewelry

Broken Lines at 1/4 Off

Here are PEARL BEADS, MESH BAGS, FLASKS FOR MEN, FLASKS FOR WOMEN, PERFUME BOTTLES. And the fact that the quantities are broken down to their value at 100-ONE-FOURTH OFF.
(First Floor, Capwells)



Suits, Coats

At the Lowest

And splendid assortment from garments

DRESSES

Styles for school, service, street or best wear. Handsome frocks of silk or wool grouped at low prices for easy choosing.

Lot I—Dresses

Formerly \$25 to \$35 \$16.75

Lot II—Dresses

Formerly \$39.50 to \$49.50 \$23.75

Lot III—Dresses

Formerly \$39.50 to \$39.50 \$29.75

Lot IV—Dresses

Formerly \$75.00 to \$89.50 \$64.75

Also many interesting model frocks, including our own direct importations, at greatly reduced prices.

JANUARY CLEARANCE

If you need a suit do not fail to see the quality.

25% to 50%

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Sale Prices—\$39.75

Also other interesting bargains

Our Entire Stock of Rich Furs

25% Off Marked Price

Only high-grade furs for which we can vouch find their way into Capwell stocks, and this great savings means something on high-grade furs more than reasonably priced in the beginning.

Small neckpieces of squirrel, beaver, stoat, marten, fox.

Larger neckpieces, stoles and capes of kolinsky, skunk, Hudson seal (dyed muskrat).

A few fine Coats of Hudson Seal (dyed muskrat) and sealine.

Original prices, \$16.95 to \$500. Sale prices \$12.72 to \$375.00.

The Salon de Beaute Offers Specials

"MASK O' UTH" TREATMENTS. Specially reduced from \$2.25 to..... \$1.75

"HAIR A GAIN" TREATMENTS. Specially reduced from \$2.00 to..... \$1.75

Hair Goods Specials CLUSTER CURLS. Regularly \$7.50. \$5.00

Special EAR BOBS. Regularly \$5.00. \$4.15

Special TRANSFORMATIONS. Regularly \$10.00. Special..... \$17.50

—Messaline Floor, Capwells

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s in January But Advanced By Capwells to
ift Checks Spent Here Will Go Much
Both Upstairs and Downstairs

ance policy pursued at this time of the year by this store have been
weeping of decks clean for a new season, and we have made sacrificial



Dresses
ces of the Year
which to choose—all stylish
ie quality

COATS

Our entire stock at reduced prices. The sea-
n's favored materials and colorings from which
choose. Come early for these.

Lot 1—Coats
Formerly \$25 to
\$35 **\$19.75**

Lot 2—Coats
Formerly \$29.50 to
\$45 **\$23.75**

Lot 3—Coats
Formerly \$39.50 to
\$55 **\$31.75**

A group of high-grade garments
rised from \$97 to \$165—now 25%
OFF these former prices.

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Women's Sweaters

Wool Slip-Over Sweaters
Formerly \$2.95 **\$1.95**

In all the wanted shades and finished
with narrow ties and round necks. A big
value. —First floor, Capwells.

Other Slip-Over Sweaters
Regularly \$3.50 and **\$2.48**

Pure worsted slip-over in attractive
weaves; some are plain colors, others in
heather mixtures. In round-neck styles.

High-grade Wool Sweaters
Formerly \$12.50 to
\$16.95 for **\$8.85**

Murvelous values considering the beauty
and quality of these wool sweaters. Plain
or novelty weaves in solid colors and com-
binations. In Tuxedo styles with belts or
sashes and pockets. Some reduced practi-
cally half!

1/3 Off on All Our Wool Sweaters Over \$18.50
Drastic reductions on finest quality
sweaters for quick clear-away.

A Group of Pure Silk Sweaters

Formerly \$18.50 to
\$22.50. On sale at **\$14.95**

Handsome Tuxedo sweaters with long,
loose belts and pockets in novelty block and
stripe weaves. Many colors. An unusual
value.

All Other Silk Sweaters 1/4 Less

Beautiful garments of fine quality in
plain and novelty weaves and a good color
range. Come for the savings.

Artificial Silk Sweaters
Regularly \$9.50 to \$12.95 **\$5.98**

Only a limited number, hence the very
low price. These are Tuxedo models with
long roll collars, sashes and pockets. Com-
monly known as "fibre silk" sweaters—and
very lustrous. —Second floor, Capwells.

Artificial Silk Scarfs
Regularly \$1.95 **\$1.48**

Commonly known as fibre silk. Medium
size in gray, pink, blue and orchid trimmed
with fringe. —Second floor, Capwells.

Baby Vehicles in the Clearance, too Marked 1/4 Off

Mothers and expectant mothers will
take advantage of this reduction of just
one-quarter.

SULKIES—\$9.50 to \$18.00.
GO-CARTS—\$15 to \$34.50.
CARRIAGES—\$39 to \$63.50.
—Downstairs, North End, Capwells.

Odd Pieces of Luggage 1/4 Off

The holiday season has left much of
our luggage stock with only one or two
of a kind. These odd pieces we are go-
ing to clear out at one-quarter off. There
are

Traveling Bags Boston Bags Suit Cases

Many sizes, styles and grades are repre-
sented in this event. —Downstairs, North End, Capwells.

Odds and Ends of Toys 1/2 Off

Some are shopworn.
A few are slightly damaged.
There are GAMES, BLOCKS, MECHAN-
ICAL TOYS, and many other things to de-
light children—things of value all the year
round. Just think! HALF PRICE!

Toys in One Group Are 1/4 Off

This group is in perfect condition.
There were a few more than needed
bought so that no one would be disap-
pointed at Christmas time.

Now we are willing the extras at 1/4 be-
low their regular prices.
Included in this group with the toys are
children's furniture, wheel goods and sim-
ilar all-year items. —Downstairs, North End, Capwells.

100 Fine China Dinner Sets 1/4 and 1/2 Off

It's not often you are able to buy imported chinaware
at such great savings. These are patterns we are dis-
continuing else they could never be sold so low. The
low discounted prices range from \$15 to \$125 a set.
(Household Section, Third Floor, Capwells)

A Great Clearance of Housewares

Now is the time to fill your kitchen and sideboard with
the things they need. Look at these opportunities to stretch
the buying power of your dollars!

Set of 6 Thin Blown Tumblers 40c
Seconds 40c
There are 250 sets of these factory seconds at

Silverware Reduced

Chippendale pattern Here are a few examples:
Teaspoons \$1.15 Dessert Forks \$2.10
Set of six \$2.00 Set of six \$5.00
Soup Spoon \$2.00 Set of six \$5.00
Set of six \$2.00 Set of six \$5.00
These are ONLY SAMPLE PRICES. OTHER FANCY
PIECES IN CHIPPENDALE PROPORTIONATELY RE-
DUCED. —Household Section, Third Floor

Greystone Enamelware

Teakettle—Regularly \$1.25 for 95c.
Double Boilers—Regularly \$1.25 for 95c.
Dish Pans—Regularly \$1.10 for 85c.
Convex Sauce Pans—Regularly 75c for 58c.
Convex Sauce Pans—Regularly 90c for 75c.
Convex Sauce Pans—Regularly \$1.00 for 85c.
Lipped Sauce Pans—Regularly 50c for 38c.
Coffee Pots—Regularly 50c for 38c.

ALUMINUM REDUCED

1 1/2-quart Aluminum Double Boilers \$1.39
1 1/2-quart Aluminum Lipped Sauce Pans 39c
Aluminum Sink Strainers 38c
SET OF THREE BOWLS (6, 7 and 8 inches), regu-
larly \$1.35 89c
500 CHAIR SEATS, values
to 35c 15c
BROOMS that are regular
ly 75c 58c

Ranges Reduced

TWO DETROIT JEWEL RANGES (18-inch oven), marred.
Regularly \$86 \$72.50
SIX 16167 DETROIT RANGES (16-in. oven), Spec. \$59.50
HUGHES ELECTRIC RANGE. Regularly \$330 \$288

Washing Machines and Kitchen Cabinets

ONE 1900 CATERACT WASHER; used. Regularly \$170 \$120
ONE 1900 CATERACT WASHER; marred. Regularly \$170 \$140
TWO SELLERS' KITCHEN CABINETS; white enameled. Slightly marred. Regularly \$85 \$77.50
ONE COPPER GAINA-DAY; used. Regularly \$170 \$125
TWO GALVANIZED GAINA-DAYS; used. Regularly \$150 \$119.50
—Household Section, Third Floor, Capwells.

Clearances Sweep the Children's Shop

bringing without doubt the best bargains in many
years.

OUR ENTIRE STOCK OF GIRLS' COLORED WASH DRESSES IN SIZES 2 TO 16 YEARS AT 10% OFF MARKED PRICES.

OUR ENTIRE STOCK OF CHILDREN'S COLORED COATS IN SIZES 2 TO 16 YEARS, are 1/4 OFF MARKED PRICES.

OUR ENTIRE STOCK OF GIRLS' SILK, VELVET AND SERGE DRESSES IN SIZES 8 TO 16 YEARS. 1/4 OFF MARKED PRICES.

OUR ENTIRE STOCK OF GIRLS' VELVET, VELOUR AND BEAVER COLORED HATS. 1/4 OFF MARKED PRICES.

OUR ENTIRE STOCK OF CHILDREN'S SWEATER SETS (Sweater, Leggings and Cap), 1/4 OFF MARKED PRICES.

Children's Shop, Second floor.

Broken Lines of Hand Bags and Leather Novelties 1/2 off

Come, see what a very little money will buy in
Women's Fitted Overnight Bags 1/4 off
A number of handsome fitted bags that Santa
Claus had left will be thus greatly reduced for this
great event. —First Floor, Capwells.



SILKS

40-in. Satin Charmeuse, Formerly \$3 yard, for \$1.98
In black, navy, brown and many other shades. Benefit by the price cutting.

40-in. Satin Crepe, Formerly \$3.50 yard, for \$1.98
A rare opportunity to save almost half on this handsome silk. In blacks and browns only.

40-in. Sport Satins, underpriced from \$3.95 yard to \$2.98
A wide range of colors and black and white. Fine quality. Why not buy the material for your spring sports suit now at savings?

40-in. Canton Crepes, Formerly \$3.50 yard, for \$2.89
Of rich, heavy texture in all the wanted colors. Big bargain!

Satin Charmeuse, for the Clearance Sale, only \$2.39
And 40 inches wide, too. Twenty pieces of satin charmeuse in both dark street shades and high colors at big savings.

30-in. Eyelet Taffeta, Formerly \$8.50, for \$4.95
Sharply underpriced for immediate disposal. Attractive novelty in navy, brown, tan, gray and black.

Embroidered Taffetas, Formerly \$6.50, for \$4.95
In mauve, white, rose, navy and black, all with color combinations. Beautiful 36-inch novelty weaves.

Swiss Taffetas, Formerly \$3.95 yard, for \$2.69
Soft, firm weave that insures long wear. In both pastel and street shades.

Ribbed Taffetas, Reduced from \$4 yard to \$2.69
Handsome 36-inch silks in two-tone effects: rose, orchid, mauve, eel and ochre combined with white. Wise women will benefit by this sale. —First Floor, Capwells.

54-in. Crepe de Chines, Reduced from \$5.50 yard to \$3.98
Extra wide and of beautiful, heavy texture. Underpriced because the colors are limited to silver, navy, white, flesh and black. —First Floor, Capwells.

Clearance of Black Silks

40-inch BLACK SWISS TAFETAS formerly \$3.00 yard **\$2.39**
36-inch BLACK TAFETAS and MESSALINES formerly \$1.50 yard **98c**
36-inch LUSTROUS BLACK TAFETAS formerly \$2.00 for **\$1.59**
—First Floor, Capwells.

Lyons Velvets, Formerly \$7.50 yard for \$4.89
Beautiful black velvet with deep, rich pile and 36 inches wide. Come for this saving.

All-Silk Chiffon Dress Velvets \$6.89
Our entire stock of exquisite 42-inch dress velvets reduced to this one price. In black, navy, brown, black, sapphire, fuchsia, taupe and many others—all at great reductions. —First Floor, Capwells.

Footwear

Women's One Strap Pumps and Oxfords
Several Models to Choose from at

Here are pumps and oxfords in black and brown kid or in patent calf or black satin. Some have white soles and military heels, others have turned soles with French heels. They're up to the Capwell standard in every particular.

Women's Brown 2-Strap Pumps Values \$8.50.
Smart models of good quality brown kid or calf—skin, as you prefer, with military heels. **\$5.85**

Women's One-Strap Models Values \$8.50.
There are pumps and oxfords of black kid, brown kid and brown calfskin, with military heels, and there are pumps of black satin with French heels. Hand-some savings!

Women's Strap Pumps and Oxfords
Some wonderful values in this price group of black kid, brown kid, brown calfskin, patent calf, and brown suede models. Either French or military heels, hand-turned or welted soles.

Fine Strap Pumps and Oxfords
High priced lines have to go, too, so the high prices have been changed to low prices for the clearance. These are the smartest lines in brown suede, patent calf, black kid and black satin. You'd never guess they could be offered for anything like **\$10.85**. —Second Floor, Capwells.

Odd Lots Neckwear 1/2 Off
Just think of buying—VESTES, GUIMPES, COLLARS, SETS—just one-third off their marked prices.

Vestee Lengths
Vestee lengths of novelty ruffled laces and tucked organdy and net. These are sample strips. Bought in the ordinary way they would cost 65c to \$1.25 each. Special, per strip **38c**

Artificial Flowers
Sprays, corsages and single flowers—Odds and Ends **20% off the marked prices.** —First Floor, Capwells.

Fans 20% Off
Ostrich fans, gauze fans and lace fans marked at \$2.50 to \$3.75 will be sold at **20% off the marked prices.**

Broken Lines Handkerchiefs at 20% Off
MEN'S and WOMEN'S INITIALED HANDKERCHIEFS. Broken lines with white and colored initials—**20% off the marked prices.**

WOMEN'S and CHILDREN'S LAIN and LINEN HANDKERCHIEFS with corners embroidered in white and colors, as well as the popular novelty print handkerchiefs—**20% off the marked prices.** —First Floor, Capwells.

Towels --- Domestic

Sacrificed in Price to Clear Away Stocks

Huck Towels 29c
A great towel value as these are of sturdy, white huck with neat red borders. Excellent for home and hotel use. Size 18x37.

Turkish Towels 47c
Slightly imperfect, otherwise they would be 75c
Size 19x38 of heavy, absorbent quality in all-white. Big bargain as the defects are very slight.

20x20 Table Napkins \$1.39
Slightly imperfect, otherwise they would be \$1.75 dozen.
Some slightly soiled, some with small defects—that's why the price is so low. With corded border and already hemmed.

Table Cloths \$1.95
Regularly \$2.50.
Size 64x64, of heavy, mercerized texture and in attractive floral patterns.

58-In. Table Damask Only 65c
Good quality table damask in very pretty patterns and mercerized to a high finish. A bargain for every day use.

Union Linen Crash 23c
Heavy quality half-linen crash in the half-bleach. Good for hard wear, and priced very low.

42x36 Pillow Cases 39c
The splendid wearing pillow cases are of extra heavy muslin with neatly hemmed ends. Sharply underpriced.

45x36 Pillow Cases 43c
Well made pillow cases—that are a big value at this price.

10-Yard Piece of Long Cloth \$2.35
36 inches wide, of good quality and with a nice chambray finish. An exceptional clearance value. —First Floor, Capwells.

Embroidered Pillow Cases 42c
Left over from Christmas and we have dropped the price very low for quick clearance. Size 45x36, of nice quality muslin, hemstitched and embroidered.

Bedding Crocheted Bed Spreads \$3.39
Regularly \$3.95.
78x88 heavy quality crocheted spreads in a good selection of patterns.

88x98 Satin Spreads \$7.95
Underpriced from \$10.00. Very fine satin spreads in cut corners, scalloped with pretty patterns.

64x76 Plaid Blankets Regularly \$4 for \$2.95
Wool-finished blankets with a warm, heavy fleece in very attractive plaid patterns. Unusual value.

Wool-Mixed Blankets Regularly \$10 for \$7.95
Size 70x82, in snowy white with pretty pink and blue borders. (First Floor, Capwells.)

To Make Way for the Spring Models

100 Smart Trimmed Hats \$4.00 each

Stunning creations of silver and gold and velvets and duvetyne—hats that you think of in connection with big prices. And they ARE high-priced hats. Many of them will be in good style for many months, for they were far in advance of the mode when they arrived. Come! Seeing is believing.

Clearaway 200 Sport Hats \$2.50 and Afternoon Hats
Smart felt and velvet hats, hatters' plush sailors and other popular sports and afternoon hats drastically reduced so they might sell rapidly. —Second Floor, Capwells.

Art Goods Novelties

Odd Lines and Broken Lots One-Fourth to One-Half Off.

DESK SETS, CRETONNE AND BROCADED 1/4 OFF
CRETONNE COVERED BOXES, Etc. 1/4 OFF

4-fold Germantown Yarn, 8 Skeins for \$1.00
The range of colors is not complete, else this price would be impossible. —Third Floor, Capwells.

SANITAS CARD TABLE COVERS 1/2 OFF
SLUMBER SOX—Broken lines, slightly soiled 1/2 OFF

HAND MADE MODELS In the Needlework Section 1/2 OFF
TAPESTRY SCARFS and PILLOWS 1/4 OFF

Centers, Scarfs, Pillow Tops
Stamped and tucked tan linen and needlework centers, scarfs and pillow tops to be sold out.
GROUP 1—48c
Regularly 75c to \$1.75.

GROUP 2, 98c
Regularly \$2.00 to \$3.75. —Third Floor, Capwells.

Men's Furnishings

Madras Shirts \$1.89
Sizes 14 to 17 1/2 in a large assortment of handsome stripes and colors. Big bargains—every one.

Men's Cotton Socks 15c
In black, cordovan, gray and white with reinforced heel and toe. Medium weight. Priced below regular.

MEN'S FLANNELETTE NIGHTGOWNS of heavy Amoskeag flannelette, trimmed in silk. Sizes 15 to 19. Clearance Sale **\$1.79**

MEN'S COTTON UNION SUITS of good quality, Derby ribbed and in ecru shade. Clearance Sale price, ... **\$1.95**
—Just inside 14th Street Entrance.

MEN'S PAJAMAS of nice, heavy quality Amoskeag flannelette trimmed in silk. Clearance Sale **\$2.29**

'DINOSAUR LEDGE' WITH FOOTPRINTS TO BE PRESERVED

Trails of Prehistoric Animals Found on Bank of Connecticut River.

HOLYOKE, Mass., Dec. 26.—The trail of the dinosaur in the Connecticut valley is to be preserved in present plans and carried out. In the red sandstone of "Dinosaur Ledge" at Smith's Ferry, on the bank of the Connecticut river, are the three toed prints and the tail marks of the mammoth reptile that lived millions of years ago. The chambers of commerce of Holyoke and Northampton are working on a petition for legislative action looking to preservation of the ledge by its inclusion in the Mount Tom State Reservation.

Dr. Edward Hitchcock, late president of Amherst college, discovered the ledge with its two acres or more of reptilian footprints, nearly 50 years ago. Some of the finest specimens were removed and placed in the college museum. Easily accessible from the state highway, the ledge has been visited by thousands and it is desired to protect its markings from damage by vandals and souvenir hunters.

Prof. W. J. Miller of Smith college says that the three toed footprints, varying from three and four to 15 and 16 inches in length, were made in flood-covered mud that hardened when the water receded. This was overlaid perhaps thousands of feet deep by successive deposits during the Triassic period. In succeeding geological ages erosion of the overlying strata exposed the tracks again to the light. So perfect were the impressions taken by the mud that ripple marks left by the receding waters are clearly visible.

Dr. W. D. Matthew, curator of the American Museum of Natural History, New York, believes the Connecticut valley dinosaur footprints date from the beginning of the age of reptiles. During the whole of this age, estimated at ten million years or more, the dinosaurs were the dominant land animals, as the higher quadrupeds had not appeared in force. The dinosaurs are supposed to have disappeared eight million years ago.

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GLYCERINE MIXTURE

There is nothing better for stom-

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in Adler's-Ika. One lady says: "It is

doing me lots of good. My sisters

also say it is wonderful." Adler's-Ika

removes foul matter from BOTH up-

per and lower bowel which may

have been poisoning stomach for

months. EXCELLENT for gas on

stomach and chronic constipation.

Guards against appendicitis. Brings

out matter you never thought was

in your system. Osgood Brothers,

Druggists.—Advertisement.

WHO DO GIRLS TRY TO PLEASE, MEN, WOMEN?

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—If the woman of today dresses for adornment, and most of them agree that she does, who is the target for her sartorial charms? Well-posted women hold that the popular flapper is poorly dressed, while another group, equally well posted, hold an opposite view and insist that women wear clothes that cater to the taste of their husbands or sweethearts.

Here, for example, is Mrs. Key Cammack, Y. W. C. A. lecturer, who can make the working girl's salary stretch further probably than anyone except the working girl herself. She is an expert on all phases of femininity. "Girls dress in competition with others of their own sex," said Mrs. Cammack. "Men do not know or appreciate hand embroidery or expensive lace. The skill of the dressmakers and the habit of trying to appear better dressed than she can afford make a girl vie with other girls in wearing expensive clothes."

"I am convinced that women dress to make other women envious, rather than to catch a man."

A different view is expressed by milliners and dressmakers catering to wealthy New York women, whose findings can be summed up as follows:

"Women dress to please their husbands, brothers and fathers. We see evidence of this every day. Almost every woman in buying clothes, especially evening gowns, pays great attention to what HE would or would not like."

FRANCE REWARDS LITTLE HEROINE

PARIS, Dec. 26.—Helene Jacquemin, who has just been distinguished by a special army order, published in the Official Journal, in recognition of her bravery at the age of 10, lived in a little town, Montherme, in the Ardennes, which department was entirely occupied by the Germans throughout the war.

Helene's services were on the same lines as those of Miss Cavell in Belgium. Her father, Paulin Jacquemin, with the help of Helene and her brother, Andre, organized a service for aiding the young men of the department to get away to join the French army. Routes through the Ardennes forests were laid out by which those about to reach military age, instead of being sent to Germany, could escape to the Belgian frontier, thence through Holland, and so back to France. They also organized a courier postal service between France and the occupied department.

In 1915, some German soldiers presented themselves at the Jacquemin home and said that they had orders to search it. The father tried to escape to the forest near, but a bullet brought him down on his threshold.

The mother and Helene, then 10 years old, were arrested. "But we refused to say a word," Helene recounts, "we had sworn rather to die than speak. No trick nor threat could break our resolution. They separated me and my mother so as to force me to speak, but I felt that my poor father was near me, telling me to say nothing."

CLERK LOSES \$55,000.

PARIS, Dec. 26.—Henri Tellereau, a bank clerk, forgot a bag containing \$55,000 when he left an omnibus on which he had been riding. He fainted when the bag was recovered in the lost property office.

New Yorkers Called Laziest in World

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—"I'll tell the world that New Yorkers are the laziest bunch in the world," the man at the parcel post window of the city hall postoffice confided to a friend the other day.

"How come?" queried a friend.

"Why, doggone it, a man comes downtown wearing rubbers. It clears up and he takes them off. And then he's too all-fired lazy to carry 'em home in the subway, a trip of maybe an hour. So he has the office boy wrap 'em up and mail 'em to his home. Can you beat it?"

GERMANS BURN AEROPLANE.

BERLIN, Dec. 26.—German peasants burned a commercial aeroplane which was forced to descend near Breslau while flying from Bucharest to Paris.

ZULU BALKS STENOGRS.

LONDON, Dec. 26.—A group of

Bandits Get \$1500; Identified By Photos

PORTLAND, Ore., Dec. 26.—Two robbers, unmasked, blew the safe in the Eagle card room here, after blinding the nightwatchman, and escaped with \$1500 and two gold watches.

John Lind, the watchman, plucked out from a group of photographs at police station the pictures of two men, known as "Blackie" Carroll and "Jingling" Johnson, as those of the alleged robbers.

CALL GOV. "DRY GOODS."

JERSEY CITY, N. J., Dec. 26.—An applicant for naturalization here when asked to name the governor of New Jersey, said "Dry Goods." Governor Morrow, Auditor Ray L. Smith and Paymaster Glaw are cited in the writ to appear in court December 28 to show cause why the injunction should not be made permanent.

Panama Rents Held Up By Court Order

PANAMA, Dec. 26.—Officials of the Canal Zone administration have been temporarily enjoined by the District Court from collecting rents under the new system adopted here.

Governor Morrow, Auditor Ray L. Smith and Paymaster Glaw are cited in the writ to appear in court December 28 to show cause why the injunction should not be made permanent.

ALCOHOL PLANT SEIZED.

BURLINGTON, N. J., Dec. 26.—The plant and stock of the Burlington Industrial Alcohol Company was seized on a Federal search warrant issued by United States Commissioner Richard S. Wilson of Trenton. Grain alcohol valued at \$150,000, together with the warehouse equipment, utensils, books, records and correspondence, were seized and impounded by a deputy United States

Train Is Derailed; Thirteen Injured

MONTGOMERY CITY, Mo., Dec. 26.—Thirteen persons, including seven mail clerks, were injured and a score of passengers shaken when an eastbound Webash passenger train, Kansas City to St. Louis, was derailed by a broken rail two miles west of here. The engine and nine coaches, including the mail and express cars, were derailed.

DESERTED GUEST DIES.

BERLIN, Dec. 26.—Herr von Stralch, a Munich merchant, died in a local hotel under tragic circumstances. He had apparently tried to call for help, but the striking employees had deserted. The body was not found until nine days later.

New Milk Cooling Station Soon Ready

TRACY, Dec. 26.—The new milk cooling station of the Naglee Burk dairymen's association at Jannay station, is fast nearing completion and is expected to be ready to receive milk soon after the first of the year. Placing machinery will be rushed. The plant, costing about \$25,000, is one of the finest in northern California, state milkmen of experience.

DRUG ADDICTS BRAINY.

LONDON, Dec. 26.—According to Prof. W. E. Dixon of London University, drug addicts are usually of a high type mentally, far superior to the victims of liquor.

MOSWINEY DOCTOR DIES.

BLETHINGLEY, Eng., Dec. 26.—Dr. William Howard Moswiney, who attended Lord Mayor Moswiney during the Cork official's fatal hunger strike, dropped dead here.

Arms Envoys Use Rug Worth \$100,000

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 26.—The centuries-old "Liberty Rug," property of Thomas Kullujian, local Armenian rug dealer, is now adding to its history by being spread under the feet of delegates to the limitation of armaments conference. Kullujian is said to have refused \$100,000 for his rug, saying he will not part with it until Armenia attains her freedom.

STUFF COMBATS COLDS.

LONDON, Dec. 26.—The Daily Mail records as important news the fact that "snuff taking" once a social accomplishment, is now becoming a popular remedy for colds.

EDUCATOR DIES.

COLLEGE STATION, Texas, Dec. 26.—Dr. C. P. Fountain for twenty years professor of English at the agricultural and mechanical college of Texas, died today.

Roos Bros.

Five Model Stores in Five Cities

Blouses, too, are in the Sale

Every Blouse, both regular and overblouse style, in our very well selected stock is heavily reduced in price for quick clearance. At prices as low as those you NOW find on the tags, you will want to buy several. White and colored Wash Blouses, no matter how high the former prices, are now but \$1.35 and \$2.95. White voile overblouses are only \$3.95. Pongee Blouses, broken sizes, are only \$2.95. Golf Shirts, new price, only \$5. Crepe and Georgette Blouses, both styles, white and colored, are in the sale in surprising variety at only \$3.95, \$4.95, and \$7.45.

Petticoats and Pettibockers

have their important part to play in this great sale, too. Prices are very drastically cut to clear all garments. Jersey Petticoats, or jersey with satin flounces, many colors are now but \$3.45. Others of heavier jersey are only \$7.45. Both Petticoats and Pettibockers are included in one wonderful lot (broken sizes) now marked only \$4.95.



Millinery Clearance at same time

Every handsome dress, semi-dress, tailored and sport hat, in the favored fascinating shades of blacks, browns, navys, fuchsias and hennas, and with every kind of trimming favored for the Winter season—on sale at just two low prices—\$4.75 & \$7.75

Roos Bros.

Washington at 13th
San Francisco Berkeley
Fresno Palo Alto

Women's Semi-Annual Clearance Sale of Coats, Suits, Dresses

"An Old-Time Sale at Old-Time Prices" —starts tomorrow (Tuesday)

Without regard to the original cost of any garment, 'Roos Bros. have gone through this splendidly selected and carefully bought stock of apparel and have placed such low prices on the tags as should cause EVERY Coat, EVERY Suit, EVERY Dress to go quickly in this Big Sale.

Man-made, man-tailored Street Apparel of the highest order is in this Clearance

Coats Suits Dresses

—Of Bolivia, Velours, Pollyanna; in Navy, Brown, Taupe, Sorrento and Reindeer; some beautifully embroidered; belted and unbelted models; plain or trimmed with appropriate winter furs.

—Of Duvet de Laine, Velours, Yalama, Moussyne or Venetian; plain and fur trimmed; belted and blouse backs; embroidered and plain; choker and shawl collars; Navy, Brown, Taupe and Reindeer shades.

—Of Canton Crepe, crepe-back Satin, Crepe de Chine, Tricotine and Poiret Twills; Navy, Black and Brown; beaded, embroidered and tailleur models. A striking assemblage of distinguished styles.

Two Feature Prices for Fine Ready-to-Wear

\$33

Many of you have waited many weeks for this Roos Bros. Sale—so that you could replenish your wardrobe with the right kind of apparel at "old-time" prices. Now the Sale is here. Take full advantage of the opportunity.

\$43

"When Roos has a sale, it is a sale"

HART SCHAFFNER & MARX CLOTHES

One Minute at the Phone or a Day at the Tub?

Washing, in many homes in this city, now means only a minute at the phone.

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Christmas Rumless, Anti-Saloonist Says

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.—Christmas this year was "dry" everywhere in the United States, or practically so, Wayne B. Wheeler, general counsel for the Anti-Saloon League, asserted in a statement summarizing prohibition achievements and prospects.

"The organized effort of the rum runners and the outlawed liquor dealers to distribute large quantities of liquor at Christmas has largely failed," Wheeler said. "Federal and many state and local officers have broken up this attempt to defy the law."

HOSE QUELDS TIFED.
SOUTH BEND, Ind., Dec. 28.—Albert Massey, accused of theft, took refuge on a roof to escape the police. He pelted his pursuers with tiles, bricks and flower pots, but the fire hose was turned on him and he surrendered.

215 Criminals Are Extradited From State

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 28.—Two hundred and fifteen criminals have been extradited from California by other States during 1927, according to the annual report on requisitions and extraditions made by Henry Frazier, executive secretary to Governor W. D. Stephens.

Los Angeles is apparently the mecca of refugees as eight out of every ten extraditions asked by other states are for prisoners arrested in the southern city.

MAJOR FOUND WOUNDED.
DENVER, Dec. 28.—Major Earl Coyle of Fort Logan was found shot and seriously wounded in his quarters at the post early yesterday shortly after he returned after spending Christmas eve with other military officers. Colonel R. J. Reaney, commander at the fort, announced that the wound had been self-inflicted in an unexplained manner.

Ship Captain Held On Charge of Fraud

PORTLAND, Ore., Dec. 28.—Captain Fred Kornick, 30, a shipmaster who served on the transport Amarell during the war, has been arrested here on a warrant from the United States marshal at Seattle, charging fraud.

Captain Kornick said he considered it probable that he was accused of having violated section 157 army regulations relating to the signing of vouchers for excessive amounts for supplies purchased for his vessel. He declared he was innocent of any wrongdoing.

China Premier Named By Executive Mandate

PEKING, Dec. 28.—A presidential mandate was issued yesterday appointing Liang Shih Yi premier. He succeeds Chin Yun Peng, who, with his ministers, resigned a week ago.

Four Shot To Death In Kentucky Battle

BARBOURVILLE, Ky., Dec. 28.—Four men were reported killed and one seriously wounded in a gun fight at Elys late yesterday. The dead, according to telephone reports, are Russ Baker, chief of police of Barbourville; Tim Pine of Barbourville; Jim Bodkins and his son, Chick Bodkins, of Elys. Another Bodkins is said to be badly wounded.

The shooting occurred in a remote part of the city.

Girl Killed, Four May Die From Auto Crash

CHICAGO, Dec. 28.—Barbara Gillon, 5, was killed and her father and three other persons were probably fatally injured when an Aurora, Ill., and Chicago electric train struck the automobile in which they were riding near here.

Hardings Enjoy Quiet Christmas

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.—President and Mrs. Harding and the members of the President's official family passed a quiet Christmas. In the morning the President and Mrs. Harding attended services at Calvary Baptist church and returned to the White House for dinner, which included a large turkey left over from Thanksgiving gifts. Vice-President and Mrs. Coolidge, their two sons and Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. Stearns of Boston attended services at the First Congregational church and later were hosts at dinner.

Plot of Hungry To Raid Austria Bared

VIENNA, Dec. 28.—Austrian military authorities yesterday announced that they had intercepted secret orders signed in Budapest by M. Hanffy, Hungarian minister of for-

Three Shot in Fight Over Country Road

MILLEN, Ga., Dec. 28.—One man was killed and two severely wounded here yesterday in a gun battle which resulted from a controversy over the closing of a road.

According to the police, Watson Allen, a farmer, attempted to close a road running near his home and prevented several parties from passing.

About noon an automobile occupied by R. H. Chance, Sidney Rowe, Willie Lewis and Roscoe Chance, approached. The county officers report Allen opened fire, wounding Roscoe Chance and Rowe. Those in the automobile returned the shots, the authorities declare, killing Allen and wounding his home with bullets and buckshot.

I CAN'T REFORM SENATORS, SAYS TEXAS LAWYER

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.—It takes more than a Texas cowpuncher-lawyer to reform the habits of a committee of the United States Senate.

So Judge S. H. Cowan, former cattleman, now a lawyer of Fort Worth, Texas, found when he appeared before the Senate Interstate Commerce Committee to argue a case on railroad rates.

When Judge Cowan appeared with two armfuls of documents he found two Senators present out of about twelve who should have been. Two wasn't a committee to the Texas.

"What I've got to say is too important to tell to just two Senators—I want the whole committee present," he announced.

At a session of the committee set for 9 o'clock the next morning and all members were notified to come and hear him.

Came 9 o'clock next day—like-wise the Fort Worth judge with two armfuls of documents.

In the chair Judge Cowan found Senator Cummins, of Iowa, who is perhaps the most faithful member of the Senate in attending anything he is supposed to attend. But he was the only Senator present.

It was fifteen minutes before Senator Fernald, of Maine, took his seat to the right of the chairman.

"Reckon I a m. is too early in the morning for Senators," remarked Judge Cowan.

"No—just a minute," replied Senator Fernald. "If you put it at 10 o'clock they'd come struggling in here at 10:30."

By 10:30 Senator Watson, of Indiana, had taken his seat alongside the waiting committee witness. Then Senator LaFollette, of Wisconsin, bristled in full of apologies.

"Reckon I might as well begin," announced the Texan. "No use trying to reform you Senators."

TWO MISSING IN \$600,000 BLAZE IN SIOUX CITY

SIoux CITY, Ia., Dec. 28.—Two persons are believed to have lost their lives in a fire in the heart of the business district at midnight Saturday night and which was brought under control at 3 o'clock Sunday morning. The loss is placed at \$500,000 to \$600,000.

Fire destroyed a quarter block of three-story buildings. Fanned by a stiff wind, the blaze raged for more than two hours before firemen had it under control.

The fire broke out within a day of the 15th anniversary of the destructive fire of December 23, 1904, when two entire business blocks in the same locality were razed, entailing a property loss of more than \$3,000,000. Last night's fire started in identically the same way.

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Morbid Throng Bluebeard's Home

PARIS, Dec. 28.—The owner of the cottage at Gambais where "Bluebeard" Landru is believed to have killed ten women, is making a fortune from curiosity-seekers. Thousands of women and men, chiefly the former, have visited the home and grounds, paying a fat admission fee to the landlord. He has refused two opportunities to sell the place, announcing that he is going to run it as a museum and name "Landru's Chamber of Horrors."

FRENCH WRITER ENDS LIFE

PARIS, Dec. 28.—Madame Gustave Balmaceda, daughter-in-law of the late General Balmaceda, is dead as a result of an overdose of a medicine which she took as a relief from insomnia. She was writing, and suffered from nervousness incident to overwork, and in addition was depressed by her husband's absence.

GUNS REPLACE BELLS

FREMONT, N. D., Dec. 28.—As Mr. and Mrs. John Lawrence Devan were leaving the church after being married, friends of the bridegroom ranged themselves along the pews and fired several volleys from their hunting guns.

HEALTH DRIVE IN MANILA LAUNCHED

MANILA, P. I., Dec. 28.—Governor General Wood has started an intensive campaign to improve health conditions in the Philippine islands by teaching the people how to avoid and combat the most common diseases which sap the vitality of the country. He has instructed the director of the Philippine health service to prepare a circular setting forth the causes of various diseases and the methods which can be used to prevent them and stamp them out. The circulars are to be posted in public places in every municipality of the islands and are to be read to every class in the public schools throughout the archipelago.

Yule Crime Wave Inquiry Is Begun

NEW YORK, Dec. 28.—Sociological societies are preparing to make an exhaustive investigation of the "crime wave" that swept over the city the week before Christmas. A series of hold-ups and robberies, resulting in four deaths, is the moving force behind the investigation.

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It's a Merry Christmas at the Oakland Orpheum this week, with a regular holiday bill of entertainment, replete with the joyous spirit of the week. May Wirth, the star of the circus, Hugan and Raymond, Jack Kennedy & Company and Al and Fanny Steadman are the featured acts of the week.

May Wirth presents a circus act filled with thrilling work and comedy. Hugan and Raymond, with "An Act in the Hole," have incorporated enough comedy for half a dozen acts. Jack Kennedy & Company have taken the popular "Piano" and fitted it into a most enjoyable and clever act. The real comedy "riot" must be credited to Al and Fanny Steadman in "Pianocapers."

The balance of the bill is well balanced with the Strand and Kitty O'Connell dancing experts; Frank and Milt Britton, masters of the xylophone and synchronized airs and Claude Golden, the wizard of the cards, completing the program.

LOEW'S STATE

Garth Hughes, youthful star, proved that he is a romancer on the screen in portraying the adventures of an imaginative youth in "Garments of Truth," which yesterday began a run at Loew's State theater.

The story is of a youthful villager who, finding life rather prosaic, proceeds to enliven things by inventing wonderful yarns for the benefit of his townsmen.

All the varieties on the bill for the first half of the week were well received. "A Vaudeville Diversion with a Punch," was put over by McMahon & Andrews. The comedy, "The Human Card Index," "Hubby's Holiday" is a funny sketch by Murray and Lane; Berry and Nekerson brought laughs with "The Niece Girl in Town." "Tid Bits" is a worth while offering presented by "Tid Bits." Paul Ash and his soloists stopped all shows with their tuneful program.

PANTAGES

Paisley Noon at Pantages theater this week has given the honor of having brought to this city one of the most unusual groupings of classic and semi-classic artists it has been the delight of Oakland folks to witness.

Arizona Joe and company, using five trained cow horses, enliven the bill. Eyal and Early, with their songs and diversified entertainment, are good, and the Three Alex use a collection of odd looking apparatus in exhibiting their capacities as equilibristas. Lee Morse is easily a "quartet" in herself as she claims to be. Bernard and Farris in "Out of the Kitchen," possess peculiar vocal propensities.

"The Old Oaken Bucket," starring May Tully, is shown as the bill's leading picture diversion.

BROADWAY

Hobart Bosworth, making his first appearance under the banner of Thomas H. Ince, is being starred in a truly remarkable production at the New Broadway. It is "The Cup of Life."

The theme guns the ramet of a story of devotion, thrills under water, romance and the bizarre.

The same program offers a comedy and other features. Tomorrow, Lon Chaney will be seen in "The Ace of Hearts" and Thursday and Friday Marie Prevost will be starred in "Moonlight Folies."

"The Shell" and Chaplin in "The Idle Glass" are announced for presentation New Year's week.

FRANKLIN

A three-cornered battle between two big railroad builders and the unrelenting elements of icebound Alaska forms the red-blooded story of Rex Beach's "The Iron Trail" at the New Franklin. Two love stories run parallel through the virile picture, which is Rex Beach's greatest drama of bringing civilization to the unexplored regions. The hand to hand encounter between a thousand railroaders is the biggest mob fight ever staged and leaves nothing to be desired in realism.

"Sister Susie" is the comedy and "Stamina," an interesting picture of the endurance of man, completes the bill.

CENTURY

"Don't Tell Everything" was the attraction at the Century theater last night opening for a week run. It is a Paramount Picture and produced with unusual excellence. The notable thing, of course, is the combination of Wallace Reid, Gloria Swanson and Elliott Dexter in the picture which in itself is a superior attraction. The same bill will be run the entire week.

AUDITORIUM

"The Four Horsemen of the Apocalypse" at the Auditorium duplicated its success of a few weeks ago, for since the opening yesterday the theater has been playing to capacity audiences. Not the least of the many attractions of the presentation is the musical accompaniment, interpreted by Paul Steindorf and his elite orchestra.

Particularly notable amid the great cast is the work of Alice Terry and Rudolph Valentino in the leading roles of the drama. In no sense is "The Four Horsemen of the Apocalypse" a war play. The war is merely a background for the eternal triangle love story which forms the motif of the play.

COLUMBIA

Two splendid attractions occupied the attention of the theatergoers at the Columbia Theater yesterday afternoon. They were "Coincidence," the new Metro release, shown for the first time in Oakland, and "Same To You," a rollicking farce comedy with musical trimmings featuring Harry Harrigan.

"Same To You" is a lively Christmas offering featuring Harry Harrigan. There is a notable song program featuring Doris Cosgrove in "Love's Old Sweet Song"; Gwendolyn Evans in "Our Home Town" and Doris Walker in "Smiling."

STRAND

D. W. Griffith's mightiest film spectacle, "Way Down East," played to capacity houses at the Strand Theater yesterday. The picture is being held over today and Tuesday. It is a simple story of plain folk—uncommonly well done and with breath-taking effect.

CHIMES

There came to the Chimes theater last night for a three day's run Mary Pickford's "Little Lord Fauntleroy," the most appealing and at the same time one of the most perfect photoplays ever to pass through a projecting machine. The mingled laughter and tears, accentuated by resounding applause, acclaimed her interpretation of the

roles of Dearest and Little Lord Fauntleroy.

Among the players whose interpretation do much to make the picture the crowning screen achievement are Claud Gillingwater, Joseph J. Dowling, Kate Price and others of equal renown.

NANCE O'NEIL

The majority of the cities of the United States have not as yet had an opportunity of witnessing Miss Nance O'Neil's presentation of Raimunda in "The Passion Flower," the great drama of Spanish peasant life by Jacinto Benavente, as the two seasons during which the play has been running have been taken up by long engagements in the eastern cities. As a consequence players of Oakland are anxiously awaiting her appearance here at the Auditorium Theater on Monday and Tuesday, January 2 and 3.

FULTON

The Fulton players last night opened a noteworthy week with the presentation of "The Hottentot," William Collier's famous success. Harland Tucker is excellent and

gives the Collier part all of the cast required. Nana Bryant fairly sparred with unction. Cliff Thompson played "a fast moving and laughing provoking part to perfection. Marie Walcamp as Peggy Fairfax gave a delightful performance. Helen Audiffred, George Taylor, John Ivan, Alber Van Antwerp and George Rand complete the excellent cast.

The play was beautifully staged. The management announce two shows for next Saturday evening, New Year's eve.

T. & D.

With General Custer's famous last stand against the Sioux in the Battle of the Little Big Horn as the dramatic and spectacular climax, "Bob Hampton of Placer," Marshall Neilan's production, is the attraction at the Oakland T. & D. theater, heading a gala holiday program which includes the Blanch Hertz kiddies in "The Newsboy's Dream" and Shirley Mason in "Ever Since Eve."

James Kirkwood has the title role in "Bob Hampton of Placer" and in "Bob Hampton of Placer" and Westley Barry, Marjorie Daw and Pat O'Malley have important parts in the photo-play. Others prominent in the cast are Noah Beery, Frank Leigh and Swight Crittenden.

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With Val. or fillet lace. Reg. \$3.95, at \$2.59

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LEGION'S SANTAS GATHER DATA ON NEGLECTED MEN

Headquarters to Get Informa-
tion on Wounded Men
Government Forgets.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Dec. 26.—The spirit of Christmas is being carried today to thousands of sick, disabled and needy ex-service men by their comrades in the American Legion.

In response to the call of Hanford MacNider, national commander, the Legionnaires are visiting hospitals and homes in every community in the United States. During their visits the Legion men are making notes on the most noteworthy cases of government neglect and will forward them to Legion national headquarters.

Information received at headquarters indicates that the Christmas cheer will go to the former service men in every part of the country.

Jobs as Christmas gifts were provided by the American Legion's new employment bureau in Chicago, which operated with the slogan "Take the ex-service men out of the job line by Christmas."

To raise funds for Christmas cheer in Portland, the Wayne County Council of the Legion bought 20,000 Christmas trees and put unemployed ex-service men to work selling them. Mayor James Connelley reserved the Christmas tree in the downtown streets for the Christmas tree vendors. The Algonquin County Council of the Legion's at Christmas baskets to unfortunate comrades in Indianapolis.

National Commander MacNider issued the following Christmas word to sick and wounded former service men:

"To you men who are fighting the brave fight against the effects of your service to our country the American Legion of your comrades sends Christmas greetings with every sincere wish for your speedy recovery and future happiness. Every American should be indebted to you as long as the nation endures and your cause should always be at the forefront of the American Legion. We intend to see that you get a square deal from the country you fought for. We would expect you to fight our battles for our country."

"We assume that responsibility as a privilege and an honor. The American Legion reports for a New Year's duty. Give us your commands."

GERMANY HOPES FOR ARMY CUT

COLOGNE, Dec. 26.—Germany generally has been keeping a watchful eye on the Washington conference for limitation of armaments through the newspapers which have published columns of cable despatches each day.

Writing in the Cologne Post, a daily newspaper published by the British army on the Rhine, "A Student of Germany," says that, as the bulk of Germany's old navy lies at the bottom of Scapa Flow, it is not naval disarmament in which Germany today has the primary interest. He adds:

"Germany is much more concerned with military, or land disarmament, and there are sections of opinion in Germany which awaited any military disarmament proposals from Washington with almost feverish anticipation."

The writer refers to Germany's army of 100,000 as provided by the Treaty of Versailles as "figures on paper," contending that there are secret military organizations throughout the country. The tyro today is a center of military intrigue," he says. "Bavaria seethes with it."

The writer, however, sees a glimmer of hope in his assumption that "Germany" (or Germany) which has shown some signs of turning over a new leaf. "Vast sections of the community and most of her present leaders would not lend her into war. The Socialists to a man would resist, if war were preached."

In conclusion, he says: "Germany looks to the Washington conference with a heart full of hope."

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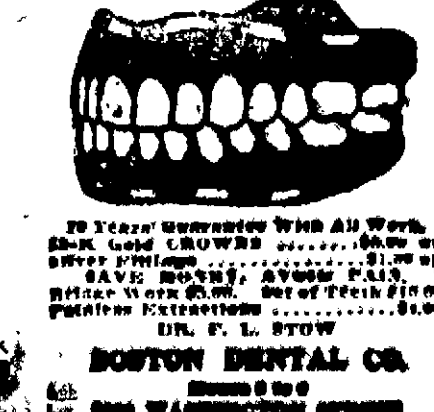
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Mexico to Prevent Silver Depreciation

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 26.—Steps have been taken with government sanction to form a syndicate of silver producers in Mexico to prevent the depreciation of this metal.

or at least sudden fluctuations which during the past year have made silver mining in the republic a for- saken industry. It is pointed out that Mexico produces more than 50 per cent of the world's supply of silver and that it is only logical that mine owners in the republic should exercise a stabilizing influence on the market price of the metal.

Mexico Cuts Army To Foster Schools

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 26.—Less will be spent by the Mexican government in 1922 for the army and more for schools than ever before. The army budget for 1922 calls for \$124,383,559, or more than \$30,000,000 less

than the 1921 budget. The estimate is based on a standing army of 50,000 men, to which strength the various units are now being rapidly reduced.

The 1922 budget includes an appropriation of \$1,000,000 for the development of aviation.

The appropriation for schools is \$50,000,000.

U. S. Wages Highest, Briton Declares

BIRMINGHAM, Eng., Dec. 26.—An ounce of gold purchases 17 2/3 hours of labor in the United States; 30 1/2 hours in Britain; 93.80 hours in Japan; 117.31 hours in France and 161.68 hours in Germany, said

C. J. Hannon, member of Parliament for the Moseley division of Birmingham, quoting statistics in the course of an address to the members of the National Union of Manufacturers here.

Switzerland is electrifying her railways to save importing coal.

HEROIC CHILD REWARDED

PARIS, Dec. 26.—In addition to receiving official citation in army orders for her heroism, 10-year-old Helene Jacquemin, who assisted her father in a difficult military task during the war, will receive a complete education. Funds are being raised for this purpose.

No Refunds

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Our Annual Reduction Sales

Commence

Tuesday, December Twenty-Seventh

Silk Reductions

of Taft Importance

Novelty taffeta and satins, desirable colorings, stripes and plaids, SALE PRICED AT \$1.85 the yard.

Pussy Willow taffeta and Cheney Foulards, 40 inches wide, SALE PRICED AT \$2.25 the yard.

Pussy Willow satins, 40 inches wide, SALE PRICED AT \$2.95 the yard.

Georgette Crepes, 40 inches wide, brocaded and allover patterns, SALE PRICED AT \$1.65 the yard.

Georgette Crepes, 40 inches wide, splendid color combinations, SALE PRICED AT \$1.95 the yard.

Georgette Crepes, 40 inches wide, solid colors in plaid effects, stripes and allovers, SALE PRICED AT \$2.25 the yard.

Silk Section—First Floor

Footwear Savings

Ladies' black suede pumps, French heeled, leather trimmed, hand turned soled, regular at \$16.50, SPECIAL AT \$11.95.

Dugan and Hudson's high laced tan Russia calf boots, welted soled, low heeled, regular at \$11.00, SPECIAL AT \$8.50.

Black kid high laced boots, welted soles, medium heeled, regular at \$12.50, SPECIAL AT \$8.50.

Ladies' black calf pumps, French heeled, hand turned soled, regular at \$15.00, SPECIAL AT \$11.95.

Laird, Schoeber & Co.'s brown Russia calf two-eyelot ties, French heeled, welted soled, regular at \$17.50, SPECIAL AT \$11.95.

Ladies' Footwear Section—First Floor

All Discontinued Corset Models Reduced

Beautiful brocaded models, nearly all sizes, formerly \$12.50 to \$15.00, NOW OFFERED AT \$6.95.

Stylish Stouts in the larger sizes, formerly \$9.00, NOW OFFERED AT \$6.95.

Odds and ends in varied models, formerly \$5.00 to \$7.00, NOW OFFERED AT \$2.95 and \$3.95.

Brassieres

Silk and satin models, with wide lace trimming, formerly \$5.00 to \$7.00, NOW OFFERED AT \$2.95 and \$3.95.

Others, formerly \$1.50 to \$2.50, NOW OFFERED AT 95c.

Bandeaux SPECIALLY PRICED AT 39c.

Corset Section—Second Floor

Wash Goods at Clearance Prices

Colored voiles, 38 inches wide, good quality, formerly \$1.45, NOW 95c the yard.

Colored voiles, 38 inches wide, light or dark colorings, formerly 95c, NOW 59c the yard; 45c, NOW 29c the yard.

Cotton and silk Crepe de Chine, 36 inches wide, excellent quality, formerly \$1.15, NOW 75c the yard; 75c, NOW 50c the yard.

Tricotee suiting, 36 inches wide, for romper suits, formerly \$1.00, NOW 65c the yard.

Corded suiting, 36 inches wide, newest shades, formerly 75c, NOW 50c the yard.

Wash Weave Section—First Floor

All Furs at One-Quarter off

Full and Complete Selections in Stoles, Scarfs, Capes and Coats

Fur Section—Second Floor

Skirts at Closing Prices

About one hundred from which to select

\$9.75 \$12.50 \$16.50

They consist of plaids, stripes and plain materials. All represent our high grade sports skirts.

Ready-to-wear Section—Second Floor

Juvenile Reductions of Importance

Girls' organdie, swiss and voile dresses, white or colors, daintily trimmed, sashed and flower trimmed, selling formerly at \$8.95 to \$35.00, OFFERED AT ONE-HALF OFF.

Silk dresses, Crepe de Chine, Canton crepe, taffeta and velvet, ruffled and embroidered, 6 to 16 year sizes, selling formerly at \$14.50 to \$59.00, OFFERED AT ONE-THIRD OFF.

Wool dresses of serge, tricotine, jersey and velour, one and two-piece styles, all colors, 6 to 16 year sizes, selling formerly at \$8.50 to \$56.00, OFFERED AT ONE-THIRD OFF.

Party dresses of Georgette crepe, crepe de Chine, taffeta and net, some slightly soiled, 6 to 16 year sizes, selling formerly at \$9.25 to \$39.50, OFFERED AT ONE-HALF OFF.

Blue serge skirts, 14 to 16 year sizes, pleated, selling formerly at \$11.50, \$12.50 and \$14.50, NOW OFFERED AT \$5.95.

Beacon, eiderdown and corduroy robes, 8 to 16 year sizes, for boys and girls, selling formerly at \$3.75 to \$10.50, ONE-QUARTER OFF.

Children's coats of velour, chinchilla, Normandie and Bolivia, tailored and fur trimmed, 6 to 16 year sizes, formerly \$13.75 to \$69.50, OFFERED AT ONE-QUARTER OFF.

Junior Section—Second Floor

Discontinued Styles in Glove Silk Underwear Reduced One-Quarter

Rivoli Vanity Fair Boyd

These discontinued styles include Vests, Bloomers and combination suits.

Glove Silk Underwear Section—Second Floor

Feather Fans and Neckwear Reduced

Feather fans, newest and best, offered at ONE-QUARTER OFF.

Feather Neckwear, Marabout and Ostrich, offered at ONE-QUARTER OFF.

Fan and Feather Section—First Floor

Big Sale of Dress Goods

AT \$2.95 the yard, reduced from \$3.75 and \$5.00, 48-inch striped and checked suitings, for jumper dresses, in dark blues and browns.

AT \$5.45 the yard, reduced from \$6.00 and \$7.50, heavy suiting checks in blue and green, and brown and green.

AT \$6.95 the yard, reduced from \$7.50 the yard, fine satin checks and plaid skirtings.

AT \$5.95 the yard, reduced from \$6.50, \$7.00 and \$8.50, excellent quality plaid skirtings.

AT \$6.45 the yard, reduced from \$8.50, handsome coatings.

AT \$7.45 the yard, reduced from \$10.00, handsome coatings.

AT \$9.45 the yard, reduced from \$12.50, handsome coatings.

Wool Dress Weave Section—First Floor

Special Household Articles

Six pound electric irons with cords, \$4.95.

One quart octagon aluminum double rice boilers, \$1.25.

Five quart aluminum tea kettles, \$1.95.

Luncheon sets, 13 pieces, \$1.00.

Round willow clothes hampers, 3 sizes, \$2.50, \$2.75 and \$3.00.

Shelf paper, six yard lengths, 5c package.

Nickel water filters, 25c.

Odds and ends in trays, 20c to \$1.00.

AND HUNDREDS OF OTHER ARTICLES, SUPPLIES, ELECTRICAL WARES AND COOKING WARE AT VERY CLOSE PRICES

Household Section—Third Floor

Waists Middies Sweaters

Silk waists in broken lines and sizes are reduced to the following SALE PRICES, \$3.95, \$6.95, \$8.95 and \$10.50.

Cotton waists, some slightly soiled or mused, are reduced to the following SALE PRICES, \$1.35, \$2.45 and \$3.45.

Middies of wool and cotton, broken sizes and lines, are reduced as follows:

Wool navy flannel and serge middies, SALE PRICED AT \$1.95 and \$4.45.

Cotton, slightly soiled, SALE PRICED AT \$1.45.

ASK TO SEE THE ODDS AND ENDS IN WAISTS, SWEATERS AND MIDDIES, NOW OFFERED AT INTENSIVE REDUCTION PRICES.

Blouse Section—Second Floor

Ribbons at Clearance Prices

A special selection of ribbon for trimming, vees, hair bows, etc., in all colors, metal effects, plaids, stripes, checks, Drosses and hair bow qualities, are REDUCED TEN PER CENT FROM MARKED PRICES.

All fancy boxed novelties such as ribbon sets, bows, bags, baby sets and lingerie sets, REDUCED ONE-QUARTER OFF MARKED PRICES.

Ribbon Section—First Floor

Christmas Boxed Stationery Reduced

Christmas boxed papers, metal novelties, memorandum books and calendars, REDUCED TEN TO TWENTY-FIVE PER CENT.

Holiday boxed papers, Hurd's and Eaton, Crane & Pike's products, REDUCED TEN PER CENT.

Metal novelties, ink wells, desk sets and scissor sets, REDUCED TWENTY-FIVE PER CENT.

Stationery Section—First Floor

Jewelry and Silverware Reduced

Sterling silver table ware offered at TEN PER CENT OFF.

Novelty jewelry in special lots of La Vallieres, mesh bags, brooches, pins, etc., are offered at TEN TO FIFTY PER CENT OFF.

Clocks of Pyralin Ivory, gold plate, etc., are offered at TEN PER CENT OFF.

Jewelry Section—First Floor

Dresses Materially Reduced

Silk and Wool Models

Street	Afternoon	Evening
\$19.75	\$24.75	\$39.50 \$59.50

SALE PRICED AT

AND A TWENTY-FIVE PER CENT DISCOUNT ON ALL DRESSES SELLING AT \$69.50 AND UPWARD

Ready-to-wear Section—Second Floor

Christmas Notions Heavily Reduced

Fancy work boxes, holiday boxed hose supporters, pin cushions and notion novelties, are REDUCED TWENTY-FIVE PER CENT.

Notion Section—First Floor

Reductions In Children's Wear

2 to 6 Year Sizes

Girls' coats, in light weight materials, all the good colors, with and without fur trims, silk and wool fabrics, sold formerly at \$14.50 to \$42.50, SUBJECT TO ONE-QUARTER OFF.

Children's hats, plain tailored or fancy, velvets, beavers, velours, broadcloths and crepe de Chines, sold formerly at \$2.50 to \$12.50, SUBJECT TO ONE-QUARTER OFF.

General clearance of broken lines and sizes in rompers, dresses and boys' suits, sold formerly at \$1.50 to \$3.75, SUBJECT TO ONE-QUARTER OFF.

Odds lots of children's wool sweaters, pink, rose and turquoise blue, slip-over styles and button fronts, sold formerly at \$3.95 to \$5.75, SUBJECT TO ONE-QUARTER OFF.

Gingham rompers and creepers, pink, blue and checks, formerly sold at \$1.00, SALE PRICED AT 75c; \$1.25 SALE PRICED AT 95c.

Children's Section—Second Floor

All Reed Furniture at One-Quarter off

This applies to a well selected line of day beds, Chaise Longues, straight chairs and rockers, tables and fern stands.

Furniture Section—Third Floor

Suits Reduced to Close

\$29.50	\$39.50	\$59.50
Tricotine	Tweed	Mixtures Wool Jersey

Also some Jumper Suits

AND ALL FUR-TRIMMED SUITS OFFERED AT ONE-QUARTER OFF

Ready-to-wear Section—Second Floor

Leather Goods Greatly Reduced

Velvet, Duvetyn and silk Moire bags, ONE-QUARTER OFF.

Beaded bags, imported and domestic, TEN PER CENT TO ONE-QUARTER OFF.

Week-end boxes and bags, ONE-QUARTER OFF.

Leather novelties, game sets, collar bags, flasks, portfolios, etc., ONE-QUARTER OFF.

Purses, bill books, wallets and currency cases, TEN PER CENT OFF.

Leather Goods Section—First Floor

Coats at Sale Prices

Extra values at the following sale prices

\$39.50	\$59.50
\$79.50	\$89.50

Ready-to-wear Section—Second Floor

RULES DRAWN UP FOR REGULATING PLANES IN WAR

American Proposal Submitted To Conference Board: Towns Safeguarded.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—An American proposal for regulating use of aircraft in wartime has been submitted to the arms conference sub-committee on aircraft, and also to the sub-committee on rules of warfare.

The most interesting part of the proposal is that dealing with the bombardment of open cities, which it is planned shall be permitted in certain circumstances. On this point the proposals say:

"Ports, towns, villages, dwellings, or buildings may not be bombarded by aircraft on account of failure to pay contributions. A requisition for material and supplies at the time necessary and reasonable may in case of refusal be forced by aerial bombardment."

It has been learned that proposals consist of 37 articles dealing with the following subjects:

1. Definitions, nationality, marking.
2. General aerial jurisdiction.
3. Neutral jurisdiction.
4. Neutral aircraft.
5. Belligerent aircraft.
6. Personnel of aircraft.
7. Bombardment.
8. Visit and search.

AMERICAN PROPOSALS.

Excerpts from the text of the American proposals follow:

The bombardment of communication centers, lines of communication, military or naval establishments, deposit of arms or war material, workshop plants and factories actually used for the manufacture of war material, wherever situated, is not prohibited.

In bombardment by aircraft all necessary steps must be taken by the commander to spare as far as possible buildings dedicated to public worship, or science, or charitable purposes, historic monuments, hospitals, ships, hospitals and other places where the sick and wounded are collected, provided they are not at the time used for military purposes.

It is the duty of the inhabitants to indicate such monuments, edifices or places by signs visible from above, which shall consist of large rectangular panels, divided diagonally into two painted triangular portions, one black, the other white.

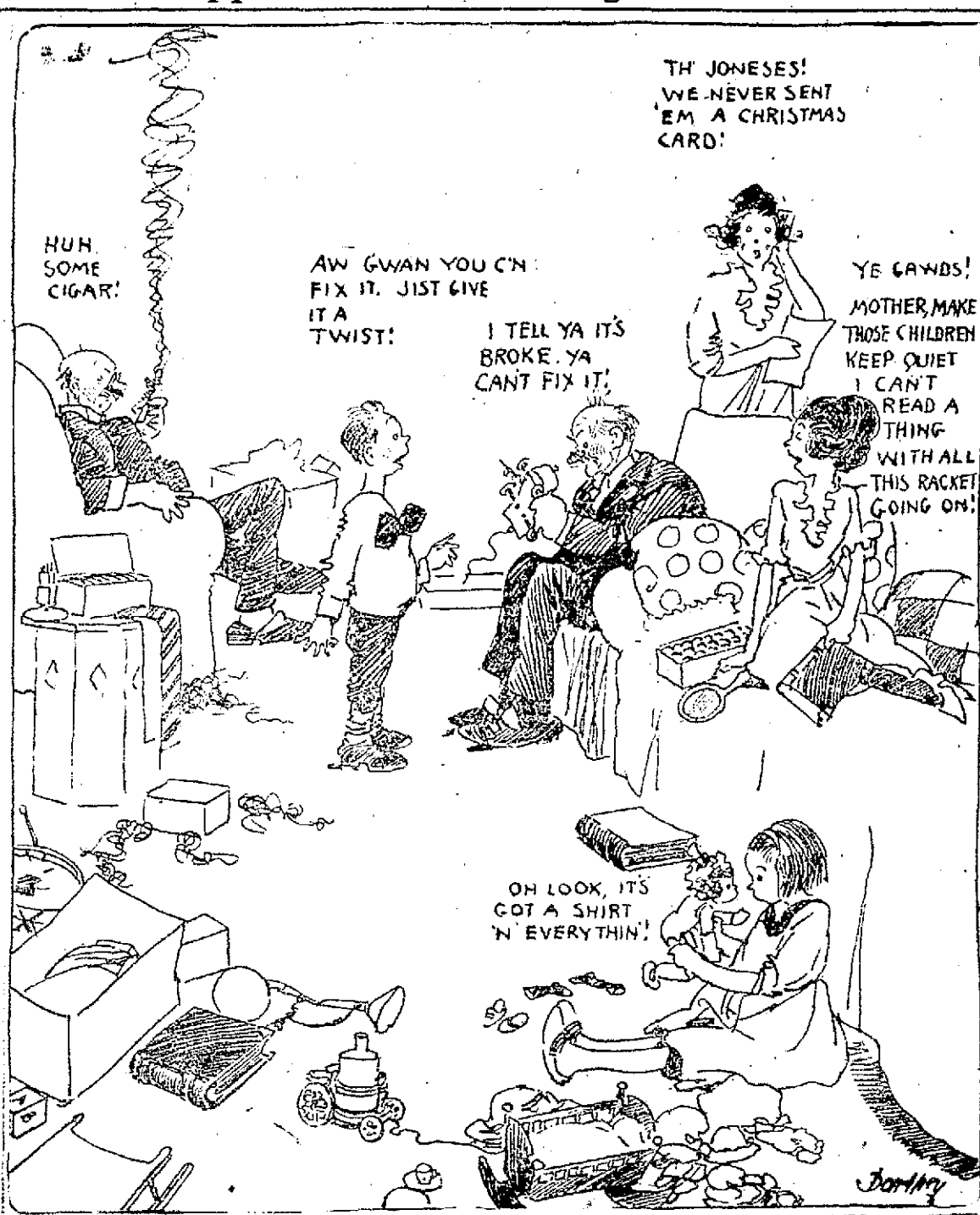
The rules of warfare sub-committee have declined to take any action legalizing the use of poison gas.

American experts favor gas as a legitimate force in war, provided it is not directed against civilian populations, but the rules of warfare sub-committee do not desire to do anything that might annul existing laws which ban gas.

Great Britain, France, Italy and Japan have bound themselves not to employ gas in war under the declaration of St. Petersburg (1868). The Hague agreement of 1899, the convention on laws and customs of land war signed at The Hague in October, 1907, and Article 171 of the Versailles treaty.

America was not a party to any of these agreements, but did sign the declaration of March 26, 1913, against the use of gas. France, England and Italy also signed the agreement, but Japan did not.

It Happens in the Best Regulated Families



HARDINGS' DAY QUIET; CAPITOL IS DESERTED

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—Not a wheel in the machinery of the federal government turned today. Practically every government department was deserted. Here and there a conscientious man graced his office for a few moments, but for the most part the huge structures that house the various government departments were enshrouded in silence.

President and Mrs. Harding spent the day quietly at the White House.

Man Nabbed Trying To Board Mail Car

George W. Steneck is being held by the Oakland police for the United States postal authorities. He was arrested last night by Private Peter P. Altamirano of the United States Marine Corps as he was trying to board the mail car on the "Owl."

Altamirano turned Steneck over to Desk Sergeant Jack Thornbury. This morning when interviewed by Police Inspectors W. A. Wallman and Timothy Flynn he told the officers he was trying to beat his way to Los Angeles where his relatives reside. At the time of his arrest he was not armed.

Yeggs Rob Couple In Front of Home

STOCKTON, Dec. 23.—As Louis Heib and Miss Martha Hoffman drove up in front of the home of the young woman's parents at Lodi in an automobile last night, two bandits covered them with shotguns, took several dollars from Heib and snatched change from the girl. The yeggs then compelled the couple to get out of the car, climbed in themselves and drove away. The car was found today on the other side of town. It had not been tampered with.

Chester H. Rowell Talks On Arms Parley

Chester H. Rowell, former editor of the Fresno Republican and now a member of the State Railroad Commission, will talk on the "Development of the Disarmament Conference" at the weekly meeting of the Oakland Advertising Club in the Hotel Oakland tomorrow. Miss Angela Pignore, a local pianist, will provide musical entertainment.

Special Admission Coupon
"4 Horsemen of the Apocalypse"
good for use in purchasing admission to the
SPECIAL SCHOOL CHILDREN'S MATINEE
through special arrangement with the
Oakland Tribune
Wednesday Afternoon, December 28th,
Or
Thursday Afternoon, December 29th
AUDITORIUM THEATER
CONDITIONS FOR USE OF THIS COUPON
This coupon, with 35 cents (which includes War Tax) will admit ONE school child to all \$1 and 75-cent seats at above performances.

ASK THE TRIBUNE Bureau of Information

Several requests have come in for a recipe for a good salad to use up some remnants of the Christmas bird. Here is one:
Cut the cold fowl remnants in one-half inch cubes. To two cups of turkey meat add 1 1/2 cups of celery cut in small pieces and moisten with cream, oil or mayonnaise dressing, garnish with parsley, or cut thin slices of small pickles and the curled leaves of the celery. Serve chilled, on lettuce leaf.
"Where can one go to find information regarding the borrowing of money for a home by a former soldier?" queries another TRIBUNE reader.
American Legion Headquarters, 305 Twelfth street.
"In case of the death of a former soldier with a wife and two children, would the widow and children receive a pension from the government?"
If he had insurance paid up to within a month of the time of his death the wife would receive \$7.50 per month from the United States government. It is also recommended that she go to the American Legion headquarters for an application blank.
The TRIBUNE Information Bureau will answer all questions of general nature except school or legal problems, debates, trade and firm names and queries as to the time of day.
The bureau is open every day except Sunday from 8 a. m. to 9 p. m. If answers are desired by mail, stamps must be enclosed. Quickest results can be obtained by telephoning to the bureau. If you have any problems of a general nature to solve ask The TRIBUNE Information Bureau, Lakeside 6006.

Bay Man To Visit Shoals; See Weeks

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 23.—C. C. Tinkler, president of the Construction company of North America, said he would leave today for Muscle Shoals, Alabama, and would arrive in Washington January 4 or 5 to take up with Secretary of War Weeks his proposal for development of the Muscle Shoals power project.

TRIBUNE PARES 'FOUR HORSEMEN' RATE TO PUPILS

All Alameda County School Children Aided To See Educational Film.

All the school children in Alameda county will be enabled to take advantage of The TRIBUNE'S special children's matinee offer, allowing grammar students to attend "The Four Horsemen" at the Oakland Auditorium theater, under special arrangement with the management. The two matinees set aside for the children, at which a special rate admission will be charged those bearing coupons from yesterday's or tomorrow's TRIBUNE, are scheduled for Wednesday and Thursday afternoons, December 28 and 29. The great photoplay, however, will remain at the Auditorium until New Year's night, with two performances the last night.
Cut your coupon from today's issue. Present it at the box office with 35 cents and go inside. The play, an adaptation of Blasco's great novel, is one you will never forget. It is a real life story. There is war in it but it is not a war story. The immensity of some of its scenes cannot be described on paper. As an educational story it is endorsed by your superintendents of schools. Don't miss it.
The special admission coupon will be published in tomorrow's TRIBUNE for the last time.

Lions Club To Give Motion Picture Day

The Oakland Lions club announces that Wednesday will be Stewart Motion Picture Studio Day at the House club, Park boulevard and East Twenty-eighth street. There will be an address by Lawrence Hughes, general manager of the motion picture company, and a program of music, classical dances, specialties and other entertainment features. Automobiles will leave from the Hotel Oakland at 11:50 o'clock sharp.

J. Magnin & Co.
Telephone Douglas 2100
Grant Avenue at Geary

Supreme Savings in our After-Christmas Apparel Clearance

Our Entire Suit Stock Excepting Tweeds Closed Out—
\$28.75, \$38.75, \$48.75, \$68.75, \$88.75, \$98.75, \$128.75
former prices were \$69.50 to \$398.50

Fine Winter Coats Closed Out—
\$68.50, \$88.50, \$98.50, \$128.50, \$148.50, \$198.50
former prices were \$119.50 to \$398.50

Hundreds of Dresses Closed Out—
\$19.50, \$29.50, \$44.50, \$54.50, \$64.50, \$74.50, \$84.50, \$98.50, \$128.50
former prices were \$55.00 to \$250.00

Our Entire Women's Millinery Stock—
\$4.85, \$6.85, \$8.85, \$10.85, \$12.85
former prices were \$15.00 to \$45.00

All Jupon Blouses Closed Out—
\$12.75 and \$16.75
former prices were up to \$45.00

Sport Apparel Closed Out—
Sweaters at \$3.75, \$6.75, \$11.75, \$16.75... formerly \$7.95 to \$45.00
Sport Dresses at \$11.75 and \$18.75... formerly \$19.50 to \$35.00
Jumper Suits at \$18.50 and \$27.50... formerly \$35.00 to \$49.50
Sweater-Knit Suits at \$14.75 and \$19.75... formerly much more.

All Children's Millinery Closed Out—
\$3.95, \$4.95, \$6.95, \$8.95, \$10.95
formerly \$8.95 to \$22.50

Children's and Juniors' Apparel Closed Out—
Girls' and Juniors' Suits at \$23.75, \$33.75, \$43.75... formerly \$45.00 to \$95.00
Children's Coats at \$9.75, \$12.75, \$16.75, \$26.75, \$36.75... formerly \$15 to \$59.50

REIS SHOE CO.
Sensational SHOE SALE
TOMORROW
5,000 Pairs of New Boots, Pumps, Oxfords
To Be Sold at **THREE** Very Attractive Prices
\$5.95 \$7.45 \$9.95
Tuesday at 9 A. M. we start our Semi-Annual Clearance Sale. Every pair of Shoes greatly reduced. Buy early while sizes are complete.
WE WILL INCLUDE OUR REGULAR STOCK OF J. & T. COUSINS AND OTHER NEW YORK MAKES IN THE
Greatest Sale of the Season

\$5.95
Former Price \$10.00
This lot consists of Boots, Pumps and Oxfords. All \$10 values. Sizes complete.

\$7.45
Former Price \$12.50
This lot consists of new styles in all leathers and fabrics. High and low cuts of smart design.

\$9.95
Former Price \$16.50
This lot consists of high-grade makes, including J. & T. Cousins. All new styles and patterns.

Big Reductions in Boys' and Girls' Shoes
Reis Shoe Co.
1205 WASHINGTON ST.
No Refunds
No Exchanges
No C. O. D.'s

PLANS ARE MADE TO REHABILITATE HAWAIIAN PEOPLE

Efforts Made to Divert Members of Race to Farms to Halt Dwindling.

HONOLULU, T. H., Dec. 24.—The rehabilitation of the Hawaiian race, which in the last century and a quarter, or since the advent of the white man, has dwindled from a sturdy quarter of a million to 25,000 souls, is a problem which has agitated the entire country during the past few years. This agitation culminated in the passage by the present Congress earlier this year of the Hawaiian Homes Act, under which it is planned to gradually to rehabilitate the Hawaiian race by putting its people back on the land. The first experiment under the new act will be tried on the island of Molokai, starting probably early in 1922, and until the experiment has been in operation for

several years its ultimate success or failure will be a moot question. In view of these facts it is interesting to note that rehabilitation on a somewhat smaller scale has been in successful operation under the Mormon missionaries in Hawaii for the past twenty-six years, and that it has been previously tried out under that same church in Utah, where the Hawaiians had shown themselves to be well adapted to agricultural pursuits. In 1835 Samuel B. Woolley, president of the Hawaiian Mission, Church of Jesus Christ of the Latter Day Saints, collected a little group of Hawaiians at Laie, on the northern coast of the island of Oahu, and then organized one of the most successful agricultural communities in the world. Starting with a barren piece of land and a few houses, moved from their former sites to form a little community, the Laie settlement has grown steadily until now its 500 citizens, the majority of whom are Hawaiians, own 5000 acres of the richest sugar land in Hawaii, own and operate their own sugar mill and are in many ways a model community.

LOBSTERS MORE PLENTIFUL.
LOS ANGELES, Dec. 27.—Lobsters are more plentiful this year than ever before in Southern California, according to C. S. Bauer, deputy fish and game commissioner at Los Angeles harbor. The lobster yield for the first two weeks of the season was more than 10,000 pounds in excess of last year's catch, he stated.

Play Production, Public Speaking Will Be Taught



MISS JEAN CAMPBELL MACMILLAN, dramatic interpreter, will give two new courses next year under the University of California Extension Division at Hotel Oakland.

Two New Courses Are Offered By U. of C. Extension Division.

Play Production and Public Speaking are the subjects of two new courses offered by the University of California Extension at Hotel Oakland, beginning next month, Miss Jean Campbell MacMillan, well-known dramatic interpreter, will instruct both classes.

All persons are gifted with a certain amount of dramatic ability, according to Miss MacMillan. The courses are designed to develop this gift.

At the high jinks of the Optimist club last Friday at Hotel Oakland Miss MacMillan was a speaker, her subject being "The Christmas Spirit." Recently she gave a program before the Speech Arts Association of California in San Francisco. For several seasons she has been conducting classes in dramatic reading and public speaking under the University Extension.

WORK GOLDFIELDS.
RIO DE JANEIRO, Dec. 24.—A \$10,000,000 corporation has been formed here to work the Peruvian goldfields.

MOTOR HOTEL PATENTED BY DENVER HOTEL

DENVER, Dec. 24.—The "motor hotel" is a possibility of the near future, according to Leonidas L. Moe of this city, inventor and patentee of the latest automobile "accessory."

Demand for more adequate automobile housing facilities in almost every city in the country will be met by this novel motor hotel plan, declares Moe, adding that the constantly-increasing use of the automobile as a means of transportation for both business and pleasure and the dangers of street parking create a real need for motor hotels in all cities and at a moderate cost to the car owner.

"The 'motor hotel' is a spacious, fire-proof building, so constructed that any car owner may drive his car, on its own power, without a moment's delay, into the building and, by a partly circular driveway, from floor to floor, into a space or room."

"Entrance and exit to the 'motor hotel' will be by means of a 'double spiral' incline, or driveway, with an easy grade, and cars going out and coming in will not come in contact with each other."

The "motor hotel" idea has been patented, and a company composed of Denver men has been formed to establish the plan in various cities. The company does not plan to build the structures, but will grant permits for the use of the

"Camel Walk" Horrifies New Jersey Club Women

By LEO T. HEATLEY,
International News Service Staff
Correspondent.

NEW YORK, Dec. 25.—When a high-school girl in ultra-decollete evening dress nestles her pretty head on the soft and sympathetic shoulder of a young Adonis of her class, closes her eyes and dances without moving her feet—what are the older folk going to do about it?

This is the momentous question agitating the school board of Nutley, N. J., following complaints received from the New Jersey State Federation of Women's Club that pupils of the Nutley high school were indulging in body contortions incidental to the proper execution of what is vaguely known as the "camel walk."

Now, while this "camel walk" may be all right for the sons and daughters of less dignified communities, it simply will not be countenanced in the law-abiding village of Nutley for a single minute. Nutleyites rose up in arms—figuratively, of course, as actually such a proceeding would be condemned from platform and pulpit in Nutley—against the intimation that high-school girls were straying from the path of terpsichorean rectitude and indulging in sensuous dances such as the "camel walk."

Nutley has never been the haven of that species of young and virtuous womanhood designated as the "flapper." Nutley has always looked askance at the frivolities of youth. Short skirts are anathema in Nutley. But Nutley wins the hand-painted

baals.

denounced when it comes to doing the "camel walk," according to members of the New Jersey Women's Clubs, who complained.

The school board has decided to engage a professional dancer to determine whether the "camel walk" and other dancing movements alleged to be indulged in by the high-school students are proper.

Mrs. Arthur B. Froul, president of the New Jersey State Federation of Women's Club, said: "The first time I noticed the undignified and improper dancing by the students was at the freshman class reception recently. I did not know what the dance was called, but the pupils later agreed that it was known as the 'camel walk.' The girls rested their chins on their partners' right shoulders and apparently went to sleep. At least they seemed to doze off, for they scarcely moved their feet, and their eyes were closed. Still it was quite evident that they were dancing."

So much criticism was heard at the dance that I ordered the music stopped and instructed a student who was in charge of the affair to request those who were dancing improperly to discontinue. The talk, however, had little effect on the dancers. I think the students have gone to extremes in terpsichorean movements. It was disgusting to see those young girls in few clothes nestling so close to their boy partners and wiggling their bodies in time with the dance music."

George Gottfried, a member of the school board, said he had heard considerable comment on the dancing in the school, and he believed the students were headed for the demerition

bow-wows. He said he did not want to enter into the discussion, because "we are such old fossils on the subject and so far behind the times that we do not understand the dances."

A girl senior said, after learning the board's intention of hiring a professional dancer to pass on the school dances: "This high school is getting to be the absolute limit. First they clamped down the lid on short skirts and roll-top stockings. Then they banned bobbed hair. Then they teach us dancing in school, and if we danced that way after we left the school we would be arrested."

"The members of the town school board and these old women who are interfering only know of the old-fashioned waltz, the polka and the minuet. George Washington danced those about one hundred and fifty years ago. We are neither vicious nor vulgar in our dancing, but these old ducks just must have their noses in somebody else's business, and so they pick on us. If they want to be up to date they should abandon their high-brow ideas and come down to earth. I'll bet that one of the members of the women's clubs would enjoy the camel walk with George, the prize dancer of my class. It certainly is surprising to find, when one reaches the age of 16 or 17, how little the old folk really know."

The school board is considering a suggestion that all school functions and dances be held in the afternoon, on the ground that this would eliminate the formality of evening dress and lend a more refined atmosphere to the affairs.

AUTO PHONES DELAYED.
NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—Plans to eliminate many telephone operators by establishing an automatic system have been so delayed by production difficulties that installation may not begin until 1923. Thirteen automatic telephone exchanges are now in operation in England.

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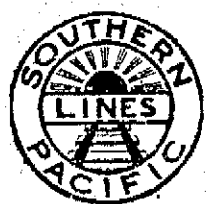
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All Winter Suits, Coats, Dresses, Millinery and Silk Sweaters

Former prices have been forgotten—the hour of After-Christmas Clearance is at hand! All winter apparel must go! Our reductions double the purchasing power of your Christmas gift or bonus money.

Shop early tomorrow and have the advantage of first selection!

Sizes for women and misses

Every Winter Suit

to go—Tuesday!

\$28.50 val. to \$65.00	\$38.50 val. to \$75.00	\$48.50 val. to \$85.00
\$58.50 val. to \$95.00	\$68.50 val. to \$110.00	\$78.50 val. to \$125.00

Many Exclusive Winter Suits, formerly \$155 to \$295, now reduced 20% to 40%.

Sizes for women and misses

500 Winter Coats

drastically reduced

\$39.50 values to \$69.50	\$59.50 values to \$85.00
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Our own stocks of fine silk sweaters will be cleared away, regardless of cost!

Pure silk coats, Tuxedo models; hand-crocheted slip-on sweaters.	\$14.95 values to \$30.00
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The Sports Shop offers

Clearance Sports Dresses

Straight-line and two-piece effects; Jersey, Velour and Pranella. Sizes 14 to 38.

\$12.95 val. to \$19.75	\$16.95 val. to \$25.00
\$25.00 val. to \$32.50	

Clearance Sleeveless Frocks

Jersey, Tweed, Tricotine, Velour and Velvet. Sizes 16 to 20.

\$7.95 val. to \$12.95	\$12.95 val. to \$19.75
\$19.95 val. to \$27.50	

Clearance of Wool Sports Skirts

Many color combinations and plicated styles.

\$8.95 values to \$14.75	\$14.95 values to \$19.75	\$16.95 values to \$25.00
\$10.95 values to \$16.75	\$19.95 values to \$29.75	

Tuesday presents a remarkable opportunity for every woman, miss, junior and little girl in the Bay Cities.

Sale of 1000 New 1922 Wash Frocks

on sale weeks earlier than expected! Priced far less than last year!

Only the untiring efforts of our New York representatives could secure such a marvelous offering for Livingston Shop patrons at the very beginning of the season! Adorable Gingham Frocks in a perfect flower garden of styles and spring colorings—so priced, that the more you buy, the more you save! Materials, trimmings and workmanship are of the quality that seems impossible to associate with the prices quoted. Sizes for women, small women and misses.

Five remarkable price groups:

\$4.50 \$5.50 \$7.50 \$10.50 \$13.50

La Reine Shop Wash Frocks

Youthful, slenderizing modes for sizes 42 1/2 to 52 1/2.

\$7.50, \$10.50 and \$13.50

Girls' Wash Frocks

Such becoming styles for sizes 6 to 16 years.

\$1.85, \$2.85 and \$4.85

Enjoy Your Auto to the Utmost

There are innumerable side trips around the Bay District—pretty places off the beaten highway.

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Market Reaction Normal; Outlook for 1922 Bright

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NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—The check last week to the upward movement in the financial markets—stimulated in stocks, bonds and foreign exchange—has not implied any serious change in opinion in the general outlook. It may have the significance that will stand in the advance during the first half of December, had allowed itself to become a bit too enthusiastic over the prospects for 1922 in certain lines of trade. But mainly the decline was the normal readjustment which markets invariably have that long move continuously in a single direction.

In a word, the stock market has had the reaction which it was entitled to after a month of almost unbroken advance. The bond market has fulfilled the expectation that it could not keep moving ahead in face of the competition of such an outpour of new capital issues as has been going on now for five months.

EXCHANGE IMPROVEMENT.

In the exchanges the speculative element has counted as it has in stocks. That is to say, such a decline as has occurred from the high levels of a fortnight ago has been merely a technical readjustment. It has in no wise taken away from the reality of the improvement in European finances signified by the advance in sterling from around \$4.90 in the middle of November to above \$4.20 and the recovery in French exchange in a still shorter interval from 6.80 cents to the franc to 8.20 cents.

The lessened activity in the various markets is quite in keeping with the slowing down in business circles preparatory to the end of the year.

The active production of the steel mills is off about ten per cent from the maximum of a month ago and prices of some of the lighter products, such as wire and wire products, have been cut again. Dullness has settled over the copper trade, while some of the automobile companies have been closing down plants, as they regularly do at this season, for the purpose of stock-taking. But whether it is steel or copper or automobile making or oil—the forecast for 1922 among the general run of business men is altogether hopeful. Nobody looks for a boom, but the idea mainly expressed is that the recovery interrupted in December will be resumed in January and will gradually

continue until it eventuates into a period of normal production. **LOWER COSTS NECESSARY.** As is well known, the chief obstacle in the way of the return of profitable conditions in industry is the inability to bring about a thorough enough revision of labor costs. The principal difficulty in the path of wage reduction is the cost of living problem and as everybody realizes the reason why more progress has not been made toward a solution is that the deflation of wholesale prices has not been passed along to the consumer, but that middlemen and many retailers have been getting an undue benefit.

A campaign of investigation, with a view to publishing the names of guilty ones, has now been projected by the Department of Justice. It ought to have been undertaken long ago, but coming at this date it is most welcome. If this crusade accomplishes its object in bringing to the public the full advantage of the decline in agricultural prices, it will be the greatest single accomplishment conceivable in the way of helping the business community back to good times.

BUYING POWER INCREASED.

Next to settling satisfactorily the cost of living question, the thing most to be desired is a return to better conditions for the farmers, upon whose buying power so much depends for the country's domestic trade. In this direction developments of the past week have been definitely favorable. In cotton the shock occasioned by the discovery of the tremendous exaggeration of the crop shortage has been more than counteracted by the improvement in trade demands both here and abroad. In wheat, Europe has come to realize that it has been over-estimating the crops of 1921-22 and that it is not as independent of the American surplus as it had supposed two months ago.

The revival of the export demand has given the wheat market the most encouraging appearance that it has worn at any time since late in the summer. The big autumn movement from farm to market is over. It has been unusually heavy and has drawn down farm supplies exceptionally far. The grain trade is beginning, therefore, to get the reaction from the state of almost panic in which it was thrown in the autumn by what now seems to have been unwarranted reports of over-supply.

GULF COUNTRY BEST CUSTOMER OF U. S. TRADE

Europe Is Second and Canada Third in List of Business Figures.

SPECIAL TO THE TRIBUNE. WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—Exports from the United States for October were smaller than for any of the other months of 1921, except February and March, while imports into the United States during the same month exceeded by 126,000 long tons the previous high record for the year made in February in the transportation division of the department of Commerce. The total volume of trade, including oil, amounted to 6,427,413 long tons, or slightly below the monthly average for the first ten months of this year.

There is a decided tendency toward a smaller volume of exports to Atlantic Europe, which has been our best market in the past. During October, 622,550 long tons were exported to this region as compared with 907,484 tons in September and 1,317,125 tons in January. The depreciation in European currencies undoubtedly has a good deal to do with this decline, which is taking place during the season of the year when the volume of our exports is ordinarily near its maximum.

CANADIAN SHOWING. Since so large a proportion of the volume of our imports is oil, it is natural to find that the Gulf and Caribbean region leads as a source of our supplies. During October this region supplied practically two-thirds of the 2,376,465 long tons of commodities imported into this country, while of the total volume of imports into the United States so far this year, shipping from the Gulf and Caribbean region constituted about 70 per cent. Atlantic Canada stood second in importance as a source of imports, but, led by other countries, the regions in the volume of commodities shipped to and from the United States during October, thereby maintaining the same relative position that it held in September.

GULF REGION LEADS.

Taking the total for the first ten months of this year and combining imports and exports, it appears that countries bordering on the Gulf of Mexico and the Caribbean sea lead all other regions in the volume of trade with the United States. In the first nine months, the United Kingdom was third and Atlantic Canada fourth. This change in the relative position of Atlantic Canada and the United Kingdom is due partly to a downward tendency in exports to the United Kingdom and partly to the increasing imports from Atlantic Canada, which, at this season, is sending a great deal of grain into the United States.

TWO DIVORCES IN DAY.

LONDON, Dec. 26.—On the same day that he sued his wife for a divorce, Brigadier General Oliver de Lancey Williams was named as co-respondent in another divorce action. Decrees were granted in both cases.

UNEMPLOYED STRIKE.

LONDON.—Three hundred unemployed men who had been given work by the West Bromwich corporation went on strike against a reduction in wages. They won, the notice of reduction being withdrawn.

Winifred Black Writes FOLKS AND about THINGS

A SUNSHINE GIRL.



Madge came home beaming, her mother said, and when asked why she had such a happy smile, said that Mrs. Blair, the mistress of the millinery shop where Madge is serving her apprenticeship, had told her that in the morning when she came into the shop that the Madge was a bright, sunny girl, and that the dingy store was brightened for her presence. "I would well believe it," Madge is one of the girls who make an exact science of living. She is poor, and has her mother to care for, and that is the reason, is why Madge says she is so happy.

Happiness is catching—the unselfish kind! The simple joy of Madge in being able to care for her mother transfigures her whole life, and every one who sees her feels the happier for it. It would not be surprising if Madge or her mother or to any one here at home, but I have seen a pair of dark eyes following Madge as she walks by on her way to work in the morning, and I am pretty sure that one of these days Madge and her mother will move from the little brown cottage into the trim house where young Mr. Howard keeps "old Bachelor's Hall" until such time as he can find a wife and just the wife he loves.

REAL SUNSHINE BEARERS.

Any one who knows what is what would like to have Madge around the house, and I can imagine, when she stops making hats, what a housewife she will make!

I am not at all sorry that Madge should have a little business experience before she takes the reins to drive a family coach. What an old-fashioned symbol! I should have referred to steering reins and automobile things, for that is what girls who drive care about now. Young Robert Howard has a machine, and by the time he is ready for Madge, or Madge is ready for him, he will be wanting to teach her how to drive.

But I am getting ahead of my story. Is there something of a matchmaker in us all?

Speaking of Madge reminds me of the sunshine I have seen carried into many a hole and corner by women at work and in business. It is not the eternally talking, smiling ones I am referring to. But there are sunshine bearers in many a schoolroom, in more stores and offices and mills than could be counted on many hundred hands. Nothing can surpass a girl who is full of life and of simple happiness—one who has a good conscience and a will to be innocently happy and to diffuse

the same kind of happiness around her wherever she is.

SHE HELPS EVERYONE.

Her eyes shine—and back of them is reflected happiness. She finds a hundred unaffected ways to help those around her every year. She does not intrude herself on others—she is never thoughtless or too impulsive in her contact with them. She

thinks out her own problems and is careful not to seem to supervise others in their work or their pleasure.

She is never censorious, this model of my imagination. Leave that to the idle and the unloving. Probably there are more girls who are noble than she can ever know; think Madge. To her, her neighbor is

some one to be appreciated and if she can see anything admirable in the girl next to her at the shop, you may be sure she will rejoice heartily in her discovery.

Such is Madge. It is not wonderful that she sometimes hears how much she cheers the places in which she works. I wish there were more like her in this old world of ours.

Babies Resemble

Nothing But Babies

LONDON, Dec. 22.—The difficulty which Solomon experienced when he was asked to decide "Whose is the child?" confronted three judges in the king's bench divisional court, in the case, followed with a comment

Can you tell the father by an infant's looks? And is the resemblance evidence?

There was much amusing discussion crystallized in two parallel views. "Babies resemble nothing but babies," said Justice Darling, while Micklethwaite, who was counsel in the case, followed with a comment that made the judges and the lawyers shake with laughter. "My contention," he said solemnly, "is that babies at a certain age are like nothing on earth."

Micklethwaite, who appeared on behalf of a young man, asked the court to set aside an order made in favor of a girl.

Willard's

after Christmas SALE

Here it is, the Great Sale for which everyone has been waiting, when our wonderful stock of high-grade apparel is thrown on the market for immediate clearance, regardless of cost prices.

Coats

Coats, capes and wraps in every conceivable material, from the sturdier fabrics to models in the most sumptuous of textures. There are all-cloth coats and models heavily fur trimmed with the finest of selected skins.

Coats formerly priced to \$45.00 are now	\$24.50
Coats formerly priced to \$55.00 are now	\$29.50
Coats formerly priced to \$65.00 are now	\$39.50
Coats formerly priced to \$79.50 are now	\$49.50
Coats formerly priced to \$98.75 are now	\$59.50
Coats formerly priced to \$110.00 are now	\$69.50
Coats formerly priced to \$135.00 are now	\$79.50
Coats formerly priced to \$165.00 are now	\$98.50

Blouses

Dark Suit Blouses

of Georgette and Crepe de Chine, with bead trimmings, wool embroideries, heavy laces, and leather motifs, in both tuck-in and overblouse styles.

Formerly priced to \$15 **\$7.95**

Jupon Blouses

of heavy Crepe de Chine in black and navy, with point-cut neck and sleeves and irregular side drapes.

Formerly priced at \$14.75 **\$7.95**

Lingerie Blouses

Voiles, batistes and striped dimities, with plaited edgings, Peter Pan or Tuxedo collars, hand drawn or hand embroidered.

Reduced to **\$1.75, \$2.75, \$3.75**

Sport and Informal Blouses

Tailored models of Crepe de Chine and heavy Georgette, tucked, plaited or embroidered, and dressier models with filet laces, beadings or embroideries, mostly in the lighter shades.

Formerly to \$9.75, \$3.75, \$4.75, \$5.75

Sweaters

Wool Sweaters

A special group of all-wool sweaters in both light and dark shades, tuxedo and novelty styles, including hand-made sweaters and imported models.

Formerly priced to \$32.50 **\$12.75**
Formerly priced to \$22.50 **\$8.75**

Silk Sweaters

Quite the thing for early spring wear, with their gay colors and clever styles. There are tuxedo sweaters and hand-made novelty styles.

Formerly priced to \$37.50 **\$11.75**

Exclusive Coats and Wraps

Our finest coats and wraps in exquisite fabrics, sumptuously fur trimmed, are now radically reduced for a quick clearance.

Coats formerly \$198.50 to \$325.00 are reduced to
\$129.50 \$155 \$175

100 Exclusive Gowns

One of a kind models for street and afternoon wear in Twills, Crepes, Duvelyn and Chiffon Velvet, and elaborate evening gowns of Brocades, Sequins and richly beaded Crepes.

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PRICE**

Suits

Including all our fur trimmed suits, now one-half or even less, and tailored suits of Tricotine, Twills and Mixtures, embroidered, braided or severely plain.

Suits formerly priced to \$55.00 are now	\$24.50
Suits formerly priced to \$85.00 are now	\$39.50
Suits formerly priced to \$98.75 are now	\$49.50
Suits formerly priced to \$135.00 are now	\$64.50
Suits formerly priced to \$198.75 are now	\$84.50

No Suit in the house is priced higher than \$84.50.

Underwear

Of Crepe de Chine and Georgette, and such dainty new materials as Radium, Duchesse Satin, Crepe Janette, Crepe Russe, and Moon-Shine.

Gowns, **\$3.75, \$5.75.**

Envelopes—**\$2.75 and \$3.75**

Step-ins—**\$3.75 and \$5.75**

Bloomers, **\$3.75, \$5.75**

Camisoles

We have an unusually complete and attractive line of camisoles in Georgette, Crepe de Chine, and Satin, some with the new vestee front.

Specialty priced at
\$2.75

Sport Wear

Wool Jersey Jackets—Tuxedo model, in navy, brown and black. **\$4.75**

Wool Sport Skirts—In plaids, stripes and novelty combinations. **\$7.95, \$9.75, and \$12.75**

Jersey Jumper Dresses—Sleeveless slip-on, models. **\$3.75**

3-Piece Jumper Suits—In plain Jersey and with trimmings of wool astrachan. **\$11.75**

Jersey Sport Dresses—With sleeves, with kid trimmings or fancy pipings. **\$8.95**

Velvet Sport Dresses—Slip-on style, with white silk broad pipings and bottom trimmings. **\$11.75**

Deep Stuff!

Whisper—It's a world-heating show at the ORPHEUM this week.



TWO SHOWS.
NEW YEAR'S EVE.
7:10-9:30

GIRLS IN CHINA
'VAMP,' FOX-TROT,
USE CIGARETTES

Not All of Them, of Course,
But Fair Share Just As in
Case in America.

SHANGHAI, China, Dec. 24.—Be-
fore coming to China I pictured Chi-
nese maidens as shy little things,
without any personality, who drank
tea from dainty cups in an enclosed
garden, where the lotus blossomed
and a man was never, never ad-
mitted.

The pictures of the modern
maidens of fair Cathay were all
wrong, for the Chinese flapper—and
there are Chinese flappers—is any-
thing but a retiring little girl who
life is spent within the garden walls.
The most ultra American debutante
has nothing on her.

One night I went to a dinner party
at a local jazz palace. (She is a
dance man) and to my amazement
noticed a party of Chinese young
men and girls, accompanied by a
chaperone. The men were conven-
tionally dressed, and the girls,
who were most attractive, light little
jackets of broadened satin and silk in
the most exquisite colors and sang-
fitted sliver trousers, which revealed
dimly ankles and feet encased in
French-heeled pumps. They were
smoking cigarettes, in ivory holders,
with a nonchalant air and fascinat-
ing the young men with the most
bewitching of looks and smiles.
Large diamonds sparkled on their
beautifully kept hands and flashed
from dangling earrings, while jade
and pearl ornaments adorned their
hair.

GOOD DANCERS.
When the orchestra began a fox-
trot the Chinese debutantes danced
off in the arms of their partners as
naturally as any American girls. The
girls were the daughters of wealthy
Shanghai families and the men re-
turned students, business men and
diplomats.

Her honorable ancestors turn over
in their graves with horror when she
bobs her hair in a J. Ray Garden; her
father protests in vain when she
flatly refuses to marry a man she has
never seen and insists upon choosing
her own husband; her school teach-
ers pass rules when she cuts classes
to go to a "movie" at the heavenly
bamboo theater and give up in de-
spair when she places a picture of
a famous European on her dressing
table; the local authorities place the
ban on extreme styles when she im-
prudently wears her trousers thinner
and higher, and her said grand-
father, under the wings of
Confucius, faints when he discovers
that his bewildering little grand-
daughter has ordered the chauffeur
from the "elaborately appointed
motor car" and is driving down Nan-
king road at thirty-five miles an
hour.

MINISTRY AGITATED.
Even the Ministry of Education at
Peking has become agitated. After
many serious conferences and shak-
ing of heads the following rules
have been passed:

1. No girl students shall cut their hair short.
 2. No girl student over fourteen years old shall attend coeducational schools.
 3. No girl student shall leave school to attend a motion picture theater.
 4. No girl student shall marry without first getting the consent of her parents. Violation of this rule will result in the censuring of the administration governing the schools where these girls are students.
- The bobbed hair craze has just ar-
rived in China. In Canton there is
a bobbed-hair society—bobbed hair
is the badge of freedom from the
shackles of the past—and the girls
who formerly sat hours before their
mirrors while their amahs oiled and
brushed and arranged their long,
glossy locks now look with scorn on
their timid sisters who have not the
courage to go in for the bob.

TWO PHONE GIRLS
IN THRIFT HOME

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Dec. 26.—Here's
the story of "the house that thrift
built."

Miss Hazel and Mildred Evans,
employed by a local telephone com-
pany, had "day dreams" of a cozy
little bungalow. They wanted a fire-
place that would burn big logs and
they wanted a big yard for a miffy
lawn.

And so economy came into their
lives. Deprivations accompanied
realization of the "house dream."
And here is how the building of
"Hazel's" started:

First, the two girls constructed a
garage on the third of an acre that
was theirs. This served as a prema-
ture home, while nickels and dimes
went each week to the savings bank
for "the house fund."

Will H. Hays' postoffice depart-
ment came in to help thrift build this
home. Arrangements were made
through the mails for the purchase
on the installment plan, of a house
that could be put up in sections. The
purchase included everything from
wall paper to paint. It was pur-
chased at an expenditure of \$3000.

The Misses Evans wanted a nice
"cozy" basement. And so they
called friends from the telephone
company to the "basement digging
party." Little by little the excava-
tion was completed. With the aid
of a neighboring contractor the
house was put up. It was furnished
and then came the crowning event
in the history of the structure.
Guests came by hundreds for the
"housewarming" and "Hazel's" six
rooms and a basement, was officially
dedicated.

"You can do anything you want to
—if you want to enough," agree the
owners of "the house that thrift
built," who admit that they "learned
a lot of things we never knew be-
fore," and recommend that other
business women try the experiment
of building a home.

IRELAND FREE, DIES HAPPY.
DUBLIN, Dec. 26.—"Thank God!
I've worked for this for thirty
years, now I'm ready to die,"
said Mrs. Catherine Foran, aged
85, when she heard that Ireland had
been given its freedom. Five minutes
later she dropped dead.

News of the Churches

Pastors See Birth of New Era

Ministers are agreed that yester-
day saw the observance of the most
significant Christmas since the first.
The same underlying theme charac-
terized each sermon. From pulpit,
chapel and sanctuary the same mes-
sage came—a prophecy that yester-
day was the first Christmas of the
new era, wherein there will be no
war. For the ministry seems con-
fident of the success of the disarm-
ment conference, and believes that
the spirit of peace and good will has
triumphed decisively and eternally.

"Note the disarmament conference
and the sure approach of Irish free-
dom and you must realize that this
day is nearer to peace than it has
been since Christ was born, that this
is the best Christmas since the first
message of peace and good will was
promulgated and became the ever-
lasting tidings," said Rev. Charles
L. Kloss, the pastor, in a ser-
mon in Plymouth Congregational
church. "From the blood-drenched
fields of France and out of the star-
vation and suffering of war a realiza-
tion of the fullness of attempting to
settle things by the sword, has come.

Christmas Goodwill Defined

Rev. Frank M. Silsby, pastor of
the First Presbyterian church, de-
fined Christmas goodwill in his ser-
mon yesterday on "The Shepherd's
Great Discovery." "Christmas good-
will is having sweet, well toned, good
nature," he said. "It is believing in
God and humanity. It is having a
heart of compassion and charity. It
is the attitude of friendliness toward
others—the attitude that would
make a friendly neighbor, a friendly
church, a friendly nation, with heart
and sympathy and helpfulness.

"The thing that divides men and
makes their enemies is the spirit of
envy, and jealousy, and of greed.
That attitude sins against the spirit
of friendliness. Sinful competi-
tion makes enemies in business, and
sometimes in the family. Worldly
rivalry makes enemies of
public men and goodwill is the
golden rule in application.

"The people of the nations have
allied this Christmas season. They
are looking to the Disarm-
ment conference in a spirit of eager

"No Room in the Inn"

"Christ was expected when He
came, but He was not welcomed. His
advent was not an accident or an
expedient or a convenience. It was
divinely ordered, and toward
which God's whole creation moved,"
said Rev. John S. Saxe, in preaching
his Christmas sermon in the First
Baptist church last night on the
familiar story, "No Room in the Inn."
Saxe stated that if He, whose birth-
day the world was celebrating, was
not the Messiah, He has, at least,
been carrying on the Messiah's work.
If He be not the Messiah, there
has, at least, been none other be-
fore and after Him. If He be not
the Messiah, the world has not and
never can have a Messiah," he de-
clared.

"He was expected by enemies like
Herod and feared and hated as the
time of His coming approached. He
was expected by devout souls like
Simon and Nicodemus, and hailed at
His advent as the world's deliverer.
He was expected by simple-minded
men like the Shepherds, who, in per-

Pastor Sees Peace or Ruin

"The realization of world peace
seems to be within the grasp of man-
kind today," said Rev. Clarence
Reed, in a sermon on "The Greatest
Lapse of the Years—World Peace," in
the First Unitarian church yester-
day morning. "The cornerstone of
the palace of peace will never be
laid by trained diplomats and pro-
fessional soldiers. They lack the
courage necessary to risk all for the
attainment of an ideal. World peace
will not come by elegant gestures
and brilliant speeches filled with
platitudes.

"Progressive international dis-
armament is one of the means by
which permanent peace may be
realized. The nationalization of the
manufacture of munitions, elimina-
tion of secret treaties and diplomacy,
clear control of foreign policies by
legislatures and the people who bear
the brunt of the conflict, and the es-
tablishment of a confederation of all
the nations of the world for the

Good, Bad Personalities

Battle for Ohio Maid

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—Dual per-
sonality is the breaking out of an-
other being in whose existence there
is respite from an all too intolerable
reality.

In the "dark room" of sleep 19-
year-old Bernice Redick developed
the wild personality of "Polly" with
the mentality of a 4-year-old child.

In this, which the Bureau of
Juvenile Research is caring for poor
little "Bernice-Polly," good and evil
wage war for the possession of this
girl's self.

Andrew Tridon of New York, one
of the leading psychoanalysts of Amer-
ica, declares these cases are "no
more mysterious than the simplest of
our day or night dreams.

"The majority of these changes of
personality take place at night or
morning," says Professor Tridon.
"We sleep not to rest, but to dream,
to have a better time than we have
awake.

"The other personality when it ap-
pears always offers an easier mode
of life.

"This child, Bernice, in Ohio, may
have been unhappy, misunderstood
at home. Since she is 13, she may
have had an unfortunate love affair.
She wanted to escape and be some-
one else. This was the only way she
could find.

"I had an interesting case lately of
a young woman who had given up a
stage career to marry. Recently she
became the mother of twins. After
their birth she was quite 'insane' to
all appearances.

"During the year she had been
married she had been the niece, retir-
ing, quiet wife. Alice, who had given
up all thought of singing and public
appearance.

"The new personality that ap-
peared she called 'Dorothy.' 'Doro-
thy' was not a mother. She was an

unmarried woman who was free to
be on the stage. This phase lasted
six weeks.

"New domestic arrangements must
be made for Alice. She must be al-
lowed to have some sort of profes-
sional life as outlet for her ambi-
tions.

"This 19-year-old girl in Ohio
should be examined to discover what
she wants to be and what she likes
to do. She should be placed in such
circumstances that she may find op-
portunity to realize some of her de-
sires.

"It is a neurosis which offers to
the subject a means of escape from
reality, which enables her to regress
to a more or less to which some or
all of her responsibilities are re-
moved.

"Our archaic unconscious self is a
lustily caveman, whose cravings mod-
ern civilization can no longer satisfy.
He must be appeased now and then
by being given a sop of some sort
or his attempts to free himself may
mean sick headaches and hysteria—
the domination of a second person-
ality for a more or less extended
period of time."

Rotary Club's Fund

Aids Many Families

The \$100 given by the Rotary club
to Mrs. E. P. James, executive sec-
retary of the International Institute
of the Young Woman's Christian as-
sociation, to be expended for Christ-
mas cheer, supplied twenty-one fam-
ilies in West Oakland with holiday
dinners. Mrs. James is in touch
with the foreign colony in the west
and was able to place the Yule-
tide baskets where the greatest need

DOG SAVES FAMILY.
RICHMOND, Eng., Dec. 26.—
Aroused by the barking of their
pet fox terrier, Henry Law, a rich
merchant, and his family escaped
from their burning home just as the
walls fell in. The dog was killed.

Mint to Cut Force
And Reduce Output
DENVER, Dec. 26.—Seventeen
million silver dollars coined in the
United States hint here since last

May are stored in the mint vaults,
according to Superintendent R. J.
Grant, who announced that the daily
average output of these coins will be
reduced from 225,000 to 75,000. The
reduction will result in taking off 140
workmen, Grant said.

AN IRISH PARADOX.
LONDON, Dec. 26.—"Did anyone
see the assassin?" asked Magistrate
Clarke Hall at Old Street police
court. Mrs. Terrence Feeney arose
and said: "Only my husband, and
he is blind."

ECONOMY REJECTED.
NAIROBI, South Africa, Dec. 25.
—The Kenya colony legislative
council has declined the offer of
governor Sir Edward Northey to re-
duce his salary from \$30,000 to
\$20,000 per year.

O'Connor, Moffatt & Co.

December Reduction Sale

of Coats-Suits-Dresses

Again the need for clearance of ap-
parel stocks affords deep, incisive re-
ductions to customers of this store—
reductions which bring prices down,
in many cases, to fractional parts of
what they were originally.

This biggest sale of the season begins to-
morrow morning promptly at 9 o'clock.

Coats Reduced to
\$34 \$44 \$54 \$64 \$74

Wonderful values—made by the tremendous reductions for this sale.
Such popular high grade coatings as Bolivia, Normandie, Velour de
Laine, Pollyanna, etc.—many with self collars, others trimmed with
Wolf, Blended Squirrel, Nutria, etc.

Coat Bargains are the order of the day in this Sale.

Dresses Reduced to
\$18.50 \$24 \$34 \$44 \$54 \$64

A large and varied assortment of dresses gathered from all the broken lines, odd sizes
and incomplete numbers. There are dresses of Canton Crepe, Crepe de Chine, Geor-
gette, Satin Crepe, Charmeuse, Satin, Tricotine, Poiret Twill, etc., in most of the
season's popular modes, many elaborately trimmed with beads, braid, etc.

Suits Reduced to
\$24 \$34 \$44 \$54 \$64

A variety of the season's stylish suiting fabrics represented in these reduction
groups. Some of them with rich collars of Nutria, Squirrel, and Blended
Squirrel Fur. Every suit in these sale groups has been so deeply reduced that
each presents a more than worthwhile saving to the fortunate purchaser.
Suits Reduced from prices originally up to \$159.50. No suit is now higher
than \$64.00.

Extra Salespeople
provided for the rush of this sale
assure customers of our usual prompt
service.

December Reduction Sale
of Blouses

Blouses Reduced To \$2.95
Here are Crepe de Chine Blouses
in many styles and modes of trim-
ming; also fancy Georgette Crepe
Blouses and attractive Over
Blouses of Crepe de Chine.
Every Blouse in this group greatly
reduced.

Blouses Reduced To \$3.95
Fancy Georgettes and Novelty
Tricolettes in many of the most
admired models of the season in
this lot. Also a line of smart
tailored Crepe de Chine suit
Blouses drastically reduced.

Blouses Reduced To \$5.95
Handsome models of heavy Crepe
Georgette in the seasonable Fall
shades; many are effectively em-
broided, some in the newest
effects. Also a line of tailored
Crepe de Chine Waists.

Blouses Reduced To \$8.95
Here is a splendid group of re-
markable bargains, for heavy re-
ductions have been made on
waists of the better sort—Novelty
Blouses of Georgette—those
heavy qualities of Crepe de Chine
in strictly tailored effects and
rich combinations of Satin and
Georgette.

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TIME TO GO FORWARD.

The year drawing to a close has been characteristically one of readjustment, of transition from abnormality to normality. The outstanding feature has been the decline of commodity values and the deflation of credits and currency. Actual price quotations provide the best illustration of the year's tendency. Following are the comparative prices of a few of the more important commodity staples:

FOODSTUFFS—	Dec., 1921	Dec., 1920
Wheat No. 2 red	\$1.45	\$1.75
Corn No. 2 yellow	.65	.85
Oats No. 2 white	.45	.60
Flour, Allentown	7.50	8.50
Coffee, No. 1	.15	.20
Sugar, granulated	.15	.20
Butter, cream, 40 lbs.	11.00	12.00
Eggs, fresh, per dozen	.35	.40
Lard, Mid. W.	9.50	10.00
Pork, mess	12.25	13.00
Beef, family	15.00	16.00
MEATS—		
Iron, Philadelphia	22.75	24.75
Steel billets, Pittsburgh	22.00	24.00
Lead	4.70	5.00
Copper	13.75	14.50
Tin	23.75	24.50

It will be observed that the decline has been uniform. The same record is shown by the reports of the Federal Reserve Board with reference to currency and credits. Withdrawal of paper money and reduction of the volume of trade acceptances was steady through the year.

As always the case—it could not be otherwise—business showed a slow pulse during these twelve months of falling values and restricted credit. Looking backward now, we recall that all that took place was foreseen and discounted. It was realized by business and financial interests that deflation and reduction of commodity prices to something near the prewar basis was necessary. It was known that the process would be a little painful and entail some losses. But reviewing the year, the distress is gratifyingly less than might have been expected.

There was no collapse, no breakdown, no chaos of "hardtimes." The country has stood firm, holding its reserve strength for the arrival of the moment to go forward. It has abundant resources now. It is ready for the resumption of business on a permanent basis. Readjustment is about completed, only a few details remaining to be attended to, such as revision of rail rate schedules and the adoption of a policy for the merchant marine. If the latter is not accomplished soon the country can go ahead without it, though not so prosperously and as buoyantly as with it.

Let's go forward, then. Let's start from the valley of readjustment and depression, which has been reached, up the slope again; with vigor, energy and complete confidence.

RIGHTS BY INHIBITION.

A complimentary correspondent writes, "It is the fashion nowadays to consider the rights of everyone except the rights of the American citizen under the constitution, and it seems to me it is about time to insist upon our rights and liberties more, and the restriction of the rights and liberties of others less."

There is a wholesome warning in this true statement. The whole disposition and drift of thought of lawmakers and the people acting as lawmakers by direct legislation for several years has been to restrict rights and privileges; this led to set up paternalistic adventures of government for the dictation of the citizen's private conduct.

In this we observe the fine hand of the political and professional agitator. It is amazing to note to what extent the people and their legislative representatives have fallen victim to the insidious ways of the professional dictators. Legislative bodies have adopted the policy of regulating everything by law. The aim is to substitute inhibitions of law for every natural motive of moral conduct, for intelligent initiative and for private conscience.

If this dangerous tendency, fostered and given propelling force by the narrow-minded and indifferently educated, continues there must be a reaction as a matter of course. Now that reaction will be expressed is one of the prospects which makes the thoughtful citizen apprehensive.

THE PIONEER NEEDED.

Enumerations by the federal census bureaus show that in 1910 Alaska had a total population of all classes, of 54,967, and in 1920 of 43,768. The decrease in ten years was 11,200. But the foreign born white population in 1910 was 17,848, while in 1920 it was only 11,518, a decrease of 6,330. Thus the white population in Alaska decreased by over thirty-five per cent, and the departure of the whites accounted for considerably more than half of the total decrease.

With all that has been accurately told of the great natural resources of Alaska this depopulation is rather remarkable. The war and coincidental high wages in the United States accounted for a large part of the migration, but did not remove the cause for concern over the fact that so large a portion of the white population in Alaska had no established interest to constitute a restraint against their responding to higher wages elsewhere. Conditions were substantially bad when over thirty-five per cent of the whites left Alaska for any combination of outside attractions.

The reason, however, is quite plain. The average citizen, the poor man, so-called, has never had a chance in Alaska except as a wage earner. The privilege of mining for placer gold is not an opportunity to establish permanent citizenship in any district. And no territory has ever been built up by placer gold prospectors alone. Governmental restrictions, withholding by the national government of the square deal for the independent pioneer in Alaska, is the primary cause for the lack of development. A few big enterprises of great wealth alone will never make Alaska a white man's country, nor bring to the markets of the world any significant portion of the limitless resources of the territory. In Alaska, as elsewhere, the individual initiative pursuing individual fortune is essential.

Fortunately a change of policy is promised and seems impending. As one phase of this, there is now before the committee of public lands of the Senate a bill introduced by Senator Smoot of Utah providing for agricultural entries on coal lands of Alaska. If this or a similar bill becomes a law, individual opportunity in Alaska will be broadened.

The bill would permit the location of homestead claims upon public lands in Alaska known to contain coal, oil or gas and not otherwise withdrawn or reserved from entry, whenever such claims are made with a view to securing or passing title with a reservation to the United States of the coal, oil and gas thereon and the right or prospect for or mine same. Settlers who have prior to the enactment of the bill into law made homestead entries in good faith on lands containing workable deposits of coal, oil or gas and not otherwise withdrawn or reserved, would be allowed to perfect same in accordance with the statute under which claim was initiated. They would, however, receive only a limited patent, as provided in the bill and where coal, oil or gas is discovered before final certificate is issued the patent would contain a reservation to the government of mineral rights. The coal, oil or gas deposits reserved to the government would be subject to disposal in accordance with laws in effect in Alaska at time such disposal is realized.

Persons qualified to acquire such deposits would have the right to prospect for or exploit same and to enter upon patented lands for that purpose upon furnishing proper security by bond to the Secretary of the Interior. Owners of limited patents under the bill would have the right to mine coal for domestic purposes at any time prior to disposal by the United States of such coal deposits.

The main purpose of this and other proposed legislation should be to give the pioneering white man, whose sole capital may often be his courage, hardihood and industry, an even break in Alaska. Then homes will be established there and the work of building another Western empire will be started in earnest.

SENATOR UNDERWOOD'S LEADERSHIP.

Criticism of Senator Underwood as leader of the Senate Democrats comes at a strange moment. "Thanks to Mr. Underwood," says the World, "the Democrats of the Senate are without a policy, without a program, without a purpose." The reverse of this statement is much nearer the facts. Thanks in no small measure to Mr. Underwood, the Democrats of the Senate are following the policy of maintaining a steady, level, international relations without asking whether those steps are being taken under a Republican or a Democratic administration. Thanks to Mr. Underwood, they are carrying out the program of cooperating with their political opponents in furthering the great projects of the Washington conference instead of seeking revenge by placing obstacles in the way of its complete success. Thanks to Mr. Underwood, they are animated by the purpose of obtaining all possible guarantees for world peace, irrespective of the name given to those guarantees or any question of credit for the achievement. If such leadership means being a partisan in his program, without a purpose, it is to be hoped that both parties will henceforth be minus these adornments.

If the World stood with the irreconcilables or if it were a partisan of the Democrats, it would stand by Senator Underwood. But only yesterday it called upon Democratic senators to vote for the four-power treaty. It argued that Democratic senators who may oppose it "will have no higher motive than the Republican senators who voted against the league because it was Mr. Wilson's league." It doubts the propriety of Senator Underwood or any other senator participating in the framing of a treaty which will come before him for ratification, but it makes little of this objection. Senator Underwood, then, is leading the battle in which the World is not the least distinctively fighting. This is as poor a time as could have been chosen for suggesting that he be supplanted.

Underwood has scorned to play politics. He has selected the course which is at once best for his party and for the country. If there is partisanship in his policy, it is the larger partisanship, which is to be welcomed. Who could have done better?—New York Evening Post.

DAILY ALMANAC

Monday, December 26.
The day after Christmas. . . the beginning of the test-time. . . How long can we hold the holiday spirit? In 1811 a theater in Richmond, Va., burned and many lives were lost. Emma D. E. N. Southworth, novelist, was born in 1819. . . Dion Boucicault, actor and playwright, was born in 1822. . . It was in 1837 that George Dewey, hero of Manila Bay, was born.

"Tis the day after Christmas
And our home-like place,
So mother informs us,
Looks like a disgrace."

Margot Asquith is coming to the United States. Our advice to those who may entertain her is to look to the moths of the skeleton chest.

If we are to retire all of the words which contrabands would forget with the passing year there is danger of having nothing much left with which to work. E. N. would abolish intrigue, not the intrigue of diplomats, which he would leave to evolution, but the one of the man who is intrigued at a pink tea invitation, at a friend's confidences, or at the taste of a boozing cocktail.

"Ask President to Pardon Tubs," says a headline, indicating a slip-up somewhere.

Certain observations concerning pipe-smokers have brought a protest from one of our correspondents. "You would intimate," he says, "that no one except a pipe-smoker can write a good essay. Now, I have written some very good essays and I never smoke anything more obnoxious than a Manila cigar."

To which we may reply, in the obvious, that there is nothing more obnoxious than a Manila cigar. And we would ask the man if he knows how good an essay he could write if he did smoke a pipe.

Having had occasion to put in several small panes of glass, we discovered that old-fashioned phonograph needles will cover admirably to hold the pane secure. Heretofore we have been at a loss for ways to dispose of the things our favorite expedient being to stick them in the sides of freight cars that they may be hauled to some other city. At home we held them a menace to foot and toe. But now, whenever too many collect, we will kick out a window pane and use the needles, as we have suggested, in making the repairs.

Words.

"What read ye?" they asked of him. And Hamlet answered: "Words, words."

Happy is he who is not sorrow-sufficed. Happy is he who can love words. And find joy and wonder. And soul-satisfaction. Touching each one in passing. With loving thought-fingers.

A. K. L.

Ina Coolbrith.

On the fourth Sunday of each month the L. M. Coolbrith Circle meets in San Francisco. It welcomes anyone interested in California poetry. At the last meeting a number of expressions from the circle were sent to the poet, who is in New York. Among them was the following, by C. M. Waage:

Said the dreamy ocean, rolling through the Gate:
"Where is Ina Coolbrith, your singer Laureate?"

"Where is she, who called me in song 'the Jeweled Sea'?"
"I want to send her greeting, and say 'Remember me.'"

Said the flitting Zephyr, riding from the West:
"Where is Ina Coolbrith? She loved my lay the best!"

Praised my song of 'Tropic Noons' and of the 'Willow Tree.'
"I want to send her greeting, and say 'Remember me.'"

Said the fragrant flower, smiling after rain:
"Why did Ina Coolbrith leave 'the Roses in the Lane'?"

She sang about my Sisters in the field and forest land.
"I want to send her greeting, and say 'Remember me.'"

From the proud Sierras through the Bear-flag State
Floated to you an Echo—"Songs from the Golden Gate."

To you, beloved singer, let this my message be,
"Accept my Christmas Greeting, and, please, Remember me."

Fifty American Writers.

(H. C. Canby in "Saturday Papers," Macmillan.)

There are, at a guess, fifty American novelists making this year incomes so large that only extravagant gamblers can spend them. Ten of these are writing precisely what their Lord and Maker in His inscrutable wisdom created them to write. Ten are convinced that next year they will slow down production and go on a quality instead of a quantity basis. Ten have hardened their hearts and long since thrown over vain regrets for what they might have written. Five have won through success they never expected by doing the best that was in them, let come what might. And the rest, however well-heeled and financially cynical in public, are familiar with the dread gnashing of teeth for the reward which alone tempts them—the reward of a durable excellence—now known to be forever out of reach.

And the five who won unexpectedly, who are they? Cabell, Hergesheimer, Cather?

Look at the left of me.
What is it all about?
I am I, as I am,
Who is it growing stout?

—A. D. SCHUBERT.

SUCH A TURKEY WAS NEVER KNOWN BEFORE



NOTES and COMMENT

The Eurekafield Californian is a doubting Thomas. "A reformer back East declares there should be national legislation to protect the sons of the rich from women who get them drunk and marry them before they get sober." We are amazed at this charge against women and the suggestion that drunken marriages are sufficiently frequent to warrant preventive legislation. Before we believe such a thing we shall wait for further evidence than the statement of the well-meaning reformer.

The Oregonian has quit publishing Joseph P. Tumulty's glorification of himself as an authority on European affairs by reason of his long training as a peasant politician in New Jersey, thus enabling old and faithful subscribers to buy that paper without apologizing.—Medford Mail-Tribune.

This item—affixed in the contemporary press—should interest Californians of this vicinity: "Luella Chaffant, Californian coloratura who started her career 'by way of Kolb and Dill in musical comedy and climbed to the concert stage in two years is a Shubert headliner this season in an impersonation of Jenny Lind.'"

The Red Bluff News sees great opportunity for the young: "The opportunities for a young man in this country are boundless. By diligence and faith any boy may become yeller leader."

Preachment by the Woodland Democrat: "We should overlook the peccadillo of a few crooked and knuckers are good for our souls. When we are all enthusiasts, when there are none to call halts on us, when everything is lovely and the goose hocks like a thriver in the sky, it isn't long until the lane comes to a turning and we encounter ogres so fierce that we stake tremendous alarm."

The Watsonville Register fixes Sacramento's status. "Sacramento citizens have voted down a local prohibition ordinance. Their action will not make any real difference in the booze situation there because Sacramento is as wet as the Jajaro valley after a December rain, and because the action of a thousand or so citizens in one town cannot vitiate or set aside a national law."

Cryptic item from the Chico Enterprise: "The city council has decided that Lord spared Highway Commissioner Mansfield for some good purpose—probably to assist in righting the route from Oroville to Quincy."

This from the staid Portland Oregonian: "That Chicago university professor who was dismissed for peeping into a girl's dormitory must be a singularly unobscuring man; otherwise he would have done his peeping right out on the main street."

The Medford Mail-Tribune discusses the Irish question: "The Celtic is coming to the fore in the Irish mess, and the world is taking the savings banks, the safe stock promoters pluck up fresh hope.—Riverside Press."

The San Francisco gangsters, sentenced to serve from one day to fifty years, will stay imprisoned fifty years, according to the ruling of the State Prison board. A lesser term would mean the defeat of justice. Some crimes society may be willing to condone, but that of which the gangsters were convicted do not come under that category.—Bakersfield Chronicle.

No trace has been found of the man who broke into the H. Schirmer store a week ago and, after outfitting himself completely, left his old clothing behind and departed. All the officers have to work on is an old cap with a hole in it.—Ukiah Press.

With the announcement from Washington that there is a billion dollars of hoarded wealth still outside

About YOUR HEALTH

What Uremic Poisoning Is And the Ways to Get Relief

By ROYAL S. COPELAND, M. D., Commissioner of Health, New York City.

Like every other laboratory, the laboratory of the body is capable of producing mixtures or compounds that are dangerous or deadly. It is only when our organs of secretion and excretion act normally that we are safe from internal attack, and free from the danger of having our own guns turned against us.

Poisoning, whether accidental or deliberate, presents impressive and unpleasant symptoms. There are almost as many groups of symptoms due to disease from so-called "natural" causes.

Some poisons are slow in their action, taking a week and even months to produce the first apparent symptom. Others are almost immediate in their deadly effects.

We usually think of poisoning as the action of some substance taken into the stomach through the mouth. As a matter of fact the most frequently met cases of poisoning are due to poisons generated within the body itself.

Sometimes the only effect of such poisoning is a headache. It may show itself by a puffy skin.

One of the worst forms of systemic poisoning is called "uremia," or "urine poisoning."

Uremia is due to failure of the kidneys to carry away the waste products picked up by the blood in its circulation through the body. Usually it is associated with Bright's disease, or some other form of kidney disease.

As commonly met, the effects of uremic poisoning are sudden and severe. A person who has always been calm and perfectly sane, may give every appearance of insanity. He chatters and carries on like a raving maniac.

Another person may fall in convulsions. There may be repeated fits. With this form there may be temporary blindness.

The most alarming type of uremia is that in which the patient becomes suddenly unconscious, lying like a log. Many such sufferers have been suspected of urtic indulgence in alcohol.

No matter what may be the symptoms, if uremic poisoning is suspected, immediate efforts should be made to cause the skin to do what the kidneys are neglecting. Urine should be taken off the poisons out of the system.

To this end, put the patient to bed and cover him with blankets; or, better still, wrap him in a blanket wrung out of hot water. Hot-water baths, hot flannels wrapped in cloth or any other method of applying heat without burning the skin, may be employed. In the country, when they may be hard, dug of field corn may be immersed in boiling water, flaked out, wrapped in layers of cloth, and applied about the patient.

Free action of the bowels from the use of salts will do good. Let drinks, if the patient can swallow, be to be given.

The doctor should be called without delay. He will administer what ever medicine may be indicated.

WHAT IS DOING TONIGHT.

Community Singing and Santa Claus at Alameda.
Auditorium—The Four Horsemen, Orchestra—Vaudeville.
Tulson—The Hotellott.
Panama—Pader Nook.
Columbia—Columbia.
State—Garments of Truth.
Century—Don't Tell Everything.
American—House Peters.
Franklin—The Impromptu.
T. J.—The Hampton Ball.
Broadway—The Cup of Life.
Arenum—Dancing.
Lake Merritt—Boating.

EVENTS FOR TOMORROW.

Macrae's whist party, evening.
Ford Juvenile Dance, Alameda, evening.
Athens Parlor 195 meets Native Sons, 8 p. m., evening.
Travelers Aid Society holds meeting, evening.
Duck feeding at Lake Merritt, 10 a. m. and 3:30 p. m.

NO MORE FREE SEEDS?

Does General Dawes, director of the Federal Budget Bureau, reckon without his host when he attempts to tamper with one of the most cherished of the prerogatives of the members of Congress from the rural districts? His elimination from the budget of any provision for "free seeds" to be distributed as "vote-getters" by senators and representatives, seems like flying in the face of Providence. And the outcry from the precincts of the House especially has been instant and vehement.

This is not the first time that meddlesome reformers and advocates of economy have sought to put an end to this particular piece of congressional extravagance. It wouldn't be nice to call it graft—but on each previous occasion the item for free seeds always found its way back into the appropriation bills, sometimes as a "rider" on some other bill, and sometimes as a separate item. The members regarded as an unjustifiable interference with their vested rights.

There are hints already of a new "bloc" of country members of the Congress to restore free seeds to the budget, or, failing that, to wreak vengeance on the Administration by killing some one of its cherished projects. Meanwhile, the general public will watch the struggle with some interest, to note the sincerity of the congressional devotion to economy and business methods, of which the budget system is the outward sign and symbol.—Philadelphia Public Ledger.

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NEW CRIMINAL TYPE DEVELOPED BY WAR WAGES

Big Incomes Easily Made, Quickly Spent; Economic Reaction, Trouble.

LONDON, Dec. 26.—The high wages which prevailed in war time are blamed by the Governor of Durham Prison for the creation of a new class of lawbreakers who have sprung into existence in the last few months. The governor's conclusions are given in the report of the Commissioners of Prisons.

"The governor does not accept the theory that the spirit of lawlessness acquired by men while serving with military forces is to blame for this outbreak of crime," he says.

"The fact that women equally with men are the offenders discounts the value of this explanation," he says. "I think the explanation is rather to be found in the fact that the wages once easily earned, more easily spent, are now not obtainable."

USED TO "BIG" MONEY.

"Men and women, boys and girls have all become used to 'big money' out of all proportion to the slight effort necessary to obtain it."

"The slow but sure economic readjustment of the last year has created a number of discontented, reckless people, who do not realize that they have been living in an artificial wage market and unconsciously resent the changed conditions of supply and demand, work and pay."

"They must have money to provide the luxuries and amusements to which they have grown accustomed, and it seems to have attracted many who would not otherwise have taken to crime as a profession."

"The criminals to prison for non-payment of income tax show a marked increase," states the Governor of Birmingham Prison. "This increase would seem to call for some alternative method of collection, such as deduction from wages when paid. The men earning high wages are not taxed until some months afterward, by which time, as at present, work is slack, and they have not the money to pay."

Here's a Chance to Hand Yourself a Belated Christmas Present; Just Name This Cartoon



Well, if you missed that Christmas bag of candy, here's one more chance to buy a real big bag of goodies. Name the picture printed herewith and win a ten-dollar prize.

It's easy. Just name the cartoon. For the best title, the one most apt, the cleverest or most fitting, The OAKLAND TRIBUNE will pay \$10 each week. The rules are simple, as follows:

The titles must be written on a postcard and

addressed Title Editor, OAKLAND TRIBUNE.

The titles must not exceed twelve words in length.

They must reach The OAKLAND TRIBUNE by Thursday night following the Monday the picture is published.

One person may send in as many titles as he wishes, but only two on one postcard.

Winners will be announced each Sunday.



HIS OWN STORY

JUST to look at the old brogans and the trick moustache you'd never think that Charlie Chaplin was a philosopher. Yet there is the most profound philosophy in his commentary upon an old woman derelict. He says:

"There was one old woman about 70. I gave her something. She woke up or stirred in her sleep (on a park bench) took the money without a word of thanks, huddled herself up in a tighter coat and continued to slumber. The inertia of poverty had long since claimed her."

Again he says:

"No one in the crowd asked questions. They are content to look. Their steadfast watching is so impressive. I feel small—like a cheat. This worship does not belong to me. God, if I could only do something for all of them. But there are too many—too many of them. Good impulses so often die before this 'too many.'"

Daily in the Oakland Tribune

STATE FIG CROP GIVEN BY EXPERT AT 10,000 TONS

United States Is Importing 15,000 Tons in Addition to Supply Demand.

California is today raising a fig crop of 10,000 tons, and the country is importing 15,000 tons of figs, and a fig acreage is being planted that will produce eight or nine times the present production in the course of seven or eight years, according to A. J. Sturtevant, advertising manager of the Peach and Fig Growers' association. Through the association, the consumption of figs is being greatly increased and the distribution is being made over the entire country. Fig growers, canned figs, the proper preparation of dried figs, all these features of association handling of the crop are bringing the fig into prominence in every home of the country and there is nothing to fear in the increased acreage of figs.

PEACH INDUSTRY.

Talking to the fig industry, Sturtevant says that during last year 1500 acres of peach trees were pulled up and replaced with figs. The conditions which led to this curtailment of production by the grower, he says, and the price of peaches may be expected to "come back" in the future. The fig will become more and more profitable. There is a growing acreage in the Sacramento valley and in Merced and Stanislaus counties, and it now looks as if the fig industry of the northwestern portion of the state is growing and in the New England section of the country a large extent taken the place of apples and by the buying public.

British Monopoly On Cotton Trade Broken

A contract has been signed between various British steamship companies and the Emergency Fleet Corporation, which will enable the United States to ship cotton to the United States, whether by direct or indirect routes. The ports or indirect, via British ports, may be carried on American bottoms. This is the first time that the United States has been able to ship cotton to the United States, whether by direct or indirect routes. The ports or indirect, via British ports, may be carried on American bottoms. This is the first time that the United States has been able to ship cotton to the United States, whether by direct or indirect routes.

Egypt Suffering From Cotton Crisis

Egypt is still suffering from the effects of the cotton crisis. In fact, the crisis is not yet entirely over, although conditions have improved considerably. The year 1920 witnessed the unprecedented decline in spot price at Alexandria from about 20 Egyptian piasters to 4 piasters. The price of cotton in Egypt is now about 10 piasters, and the price of cotton in the United States is about 10 cents. The price of cotton in the United States is about 10 cents. The price of cotton in the United States is about 10 cents.

MAN ENDS LIFE AS GIFT FOR DIVORCED WIFE

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 26.—After having told his divorced wife, Mrs. Marie Schumacher, last Thursday that he was about to give her the happiest Christmas of her life, Gustave Schumacher shot and killed himself with a shotgun in Mrs. Schumacher's home, 37 St. Helena street, yesterday. Mrs. Schumacher was preparing Christmas dinner for herself and their four sons when Schumacher came to the house.

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SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 26.—A flying circus will take place at Crissy field next Sunday. One feature will be the control of the air maneuvers by radio telephone. Messages directing the aviators to do various stunts will be phoned from the ground when the machines are at an altitude of 2000 feet.

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San Francisco News

Milk Fund Concert Details Completed

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 26.—Final arrangements are being made for the concert to be given on January 14 at the Exposition Auditorium to swell the milk fund of the Associated Charities. Mrs. Sigmond Stern and C. C. Moore head the executive committee.

Pacific Radio Men To Meet Thursday

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 26.—A convention of radio men of the Pacific coast will be held next Thursday at the San Francisco Gymnasium building, 2460 Sutter street. It is anticipated that more than 1000 men will be in attendance.

Man May Die Of Yule Fight Hurts

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 26.—Onigula Froylana and Obullo Lopez, of 117 Kearny street, are being treated at the Harbor Emergency hospital for injuries received in a Christmas fight. Froylana may die. Both face charges of assault with deadly weapons.

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Gardens of "Indian Hemp" Discovered

LAS ANIMAS, Colo., Dec. 27.—Vigorous measures to stamp out production of "Indian hemp" are being taken by Bent county officials, following the discovery here of several gardens in which the plant was being cultivated.

The plant is known botanically as Cannabis Sativa, and when matured its large brown leaves are marked with a resinous substance, which, when smoked, has a result similar to that of opium.

Many Mexicans in the Arkansas valley are reported to have been made insane from smoking "Indian hemp," and an extensive traffic in the "loco weed" has been going on in some sections of Colorado.

State laws provide heavy penalties for persons convicted of propagating "Indian hemp."

WHEEL KING'S SHIP

LONDON, Dec. 26.—The cruiser "Crescent," formerly commanded by King George, then Prince, has been sold and taken to Germany to be broken up because German workmen will do this work more cheaply than the British.

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Alameda Co. Vital Statistics Births, Marriages and Deaths

DIED

BRIDGES—In this city, December 24, 1921, Mrs. Maria Bridges, widow of the late W. B. Bridges, loving mother of William J. M. and S. A. Bridges, grand mother of A. R. Bridges, Jr., and James Covington, Jr., and Rudolph Nelson, a native of North Carolina. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral Tuesday, December 27, 1921, at 2 p. m., from the Fifteenth Street M. E. church, between Market and West. Remains at the parlors of Hudson & Butler, 933 Eighth street.

BLISS—In this city, December 24, 1921, Sarah Bliss, dearly beloved wife of the late Theodore H. Bliss, loving mother of Mrs. Elizabeth J. Reburn, Mrs. Sadie McGuire, Mrs. Alice Cowan, James and Theodore Bliss, a native of Ireland, aged 80 years. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend funeral services Tuesday, December 27, 1921, at 9 o'clock a. m., from St. Francis de Sales church, where a requiem high mass will be celebrated for the repose of her soul.

DONATHAN—In this city, December 24, 1921, John Wm. Donathan, dearly beloved husband of Mary Donathan, loving father of Alice, Gertrude, Arthur, Walter, Donald, Donatien and the late Rhodes Donathan, a native of North Carolina. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral services Tuesday, December 27, 1921, at 9 o'clock a. m., from the parlors of Webster & Co., 1935 Webster st., Oakland. Interment private.

DAVIS—In this city, December 26, 1921, Marie Carroll Davis, the loving daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Davis, a native of California. Funeral December 27, at 3 p. m., from the parlors of Baker-Taylor, successors to Wells-Baker, undertakers, San Francisco, at 25th st. Interment, Mt. View.

FREEMAN—In Oakland, Dec. 25, 1921, Fred B. Freeman, a native of New York, aged 53 years, 9 months, 23 days. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral services Tuesday, Dec. 27, 1921, at 11 o'clock a. m., from the chapel of the Oakland Crematorium, corner of Howe and Mather sts. Remains at the parlors of J. H. Miller, 2722 E. 14th st., Oakland.

GRITTING—In this city, December 24, 1921, Fred B. Gritting, loving son of H. A. Gritting and the late Mabel Gritting and brother of Mrs. Mabel Gritting, a native of San Francisco, aged 22 years 2 months and 28 days. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend funeral services Tuesday, December 27, 1921, at 9 o'clock a. m., from the late residence, 3218 School street, Oakland, thence to St. Joseph's church, where a requiem high mass will be celebrated for the repose of his soul, commencing at 9:30 o'clock. Interment, St. Mary's cemetery.

GRISWOLD—In this city, December 25, 1921, Sophronia Swinney, beloved wife of George J. Griswold, daughter of Lee S. Griswold, sister of Homer A. Swinney of Oakland, Calif.; T. H. Swinney of Los Angeles; and Whitney of Detroit, Mich.; and Mrs. Jessie Owen of St. Louis, Mich.; a native of Lucas, Ohio, aged 68 years, 6 months and 5 days. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral services Tuesday, December 27, 1921, at 3:30 o'clock p. m., from the California Crematorium, 1409 Piedmont ave. Remains at the parlors of Ernest A. Woolitz, 2835 Webster st.

GIBBS—In this city, December 24, 1921, Anna P. Gibbs, beloved wife of the late George A. Gibbs, mother of Mrs. S. P. Curry and Leslie A. Gibbs of Oakland and Edgar A. Gibbs of San Jose and Howard L. Gibbs of Idaho, a native of Nova Scotia, aged 70 years. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral Wednesday, December 29, 1921, at 2 p. m., in the chapel of the California Crematorium, 1409 Piedmont ave. Friends may call at the parlors of Bessie J. Wood, 1303 Telegraph ave.

LOWELL—In this city, Dec. 23, 1921, Frank Herbert Lowell, dearly loved husband of Cecelia M. Lowell, loving father of Frank P. Walter H. Mrs. W. Y. Young, Kenneth S. Theodore M. and Dorris Lowell, a member of Lyon Post, G. A. R. and First Baptist church, a native of Maine, aged 77 years, 3 months and 23 days. Fresno and Concord, Cal., papers please copy. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral services Monday, Dec. 26, 1921, at 11 a. m., from the First Baptist church, 1300 Mt. View cemetery. Friends may call at Stout's parlors, Telegraph ave. at 32d st.

MEEK—In this city, Dec. 23, 1921, William Ellsworth Meek, husband of Carolyn Stevens Meek and father of William Meek and the late Carolyn and Miriam Meek, a native of San Lorenzo, aged 55 years, 9 months and 21 days. Friends are invited to attend the funeral services Tuesday morning, Dec. 27, at 11 o'clock, at the chapel of the California Crematorium, 1409 Piedmont ave., Oakland.

MORI—In this city, Dec. 23, 1921, Paul Conrad Mori, beloved husband of Mrs. Bertha Mori and father of Emil Mori, a member of the Nile and Athenian Club and "German-Roekwiel" Improvement Club, a native of Germany, aged 53 years, 8 months, 21 days. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral services Tuesday, Dec. 27, 1921, at 2 p. m., from the chapel of California Crematorium, 1409 Piedmont ave. Remains at the parlors of Arthur G. Stout, Telegraph ave. at 32d st.

OLSEN—In Oakland, Dec. 25, 1921, Lydia Olsen, widow of the late J. Olsen, mother of Fred T. Olsen, Mrs. M. L. Olsen, Mrs. L. Olsen and Mrs. Lily P. Miller, all of Oakland, a native of Wisconsin, aged 56 years, 2 months, 19 days. Funeral services Wednesday, Dec. 28, 1921, at 2:30 o'clock p. m., at her late residence, 650 63d st., Oakland, Cal., to which friends are invited.

ROGERS—In S. J. Hospital, San Francisco, Dec. 21, 1921, Alfred Francis Rogers, son of J. and Theresa Rogers and brother of George, Margaret, Andrew, Elva and Adrienne Rogers, a native of California, aged 21 years. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral services Tuesday, December 27, 1921, at 9 o'clock a. m., from the family residence, 1725 E. 21st st., thence to St. Anthony's church, where high mass will be celebrated for the repose of his soul, commencing at 9:30 o'clock. Interment, St. Mary's cemetery.

REID—In this city, December 26, 1921, Flora Reid, beloved wife of James A. Reid, loving mother of David and Flo Scott Reid, and daughter of Captain David Scott, a native of Oakland, aged 29 years. Remains are at the chapel of Julius S. Godeau, 2210 Webster st., at 21st st. Funeral notice hereafter.

TAYLOR—In this city, December 23, 1921, Isabelle Taylor, wife of Joseph B. Taylor and mother of Orville D. Taylor and Mrs. Bertha E. Mathias, a native of Missouri, aged 58 years 8 months and 21 days. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend funeral services Tuesday, December 27, 1921, at 10 o'clock a. m., from the chapel of Grant D. Miller, 2722 E. Fourteenth street, Oakland. Interment, Evergreen cemetery.

SULLIVAN—In Fremont, Cal., Dec. 24, 1921, Julius beloved husband of Tina Sullivan, loving father of Mrs. S. H. Bouque, Mrs. Charles A. Weber and Miss Annette Sullivan, and brother of Carl Sullivan and Mrs. Thomas A. Olsen, Mrs. C. Spencer, Mrs. A. Sandgren, Mrs. John Wentzler and Mrs. John Carlu.

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3,500 Pairs formerly priced at \$10, \$12, \$14, \$9.45	1,200 Pairs formerly priced at \$10 and \$12, \$9.45
2,300 Pairs formerly priced at \$12, \$12.50, \$14, \$10.85	800 Pairs formerly priced at \$12, \$12.50, \$14, \$10.85

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Waists

Waists are an important item in a woman's wardrobe—replenish your supply. Select as many as you want and use our liberal credit plan to pay for them. Our assortment during this sale will be most pleasing to you and the prices exceedingly low. Come early.

\$6.50 \$8.50 \$12.50, etc.

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Skirts

Separate skirts, plain, in plaids or colored—in an assortment that will meet the approval of the most exacting women. All are priced at big reductions so that you can afford to buy, especially with our easy credit plan. Come early!

Skirts
\$6.00 \$9.35 \$11.25
\$14.00, etc.

Silk Petticoats
\$3.50 \$7.50 \$10.50
\$13.50, etc.



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FURS **\$1** DOWN and small weekly or monthly payments

25% REDUCTION

Just think of the wonderful opportunity now offered you to have just the furs you have always wished for. Every fur in our stock is reduced 25% in price and may be bought on our very liberal and easy credit plan—

One Dollar Down and the Balance
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COATS **\$1** DOWN and small weekly or monthly payments

Big, roomy, fashionable, serviceable Winter Coats for dress or street wear—all displayed, without restriction. Women and misses should not allow such an unusual opportunity to pass. Every garment is greatly reduced in price. They are all the season's best and most wanted styles and may be bought during this sale for only one dollar down and the balance in small weekly or monthly payments as you may prefer. Come early—make your selection while the assortment is still complete.

Plush Coats
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DRESSES — SUITS

\$1 DOWN and small weekly or monthly payments
Dresses for every occasion in the newest and most acceptable models and every desired material. Stock your wardrobe complete—buy dresses now for all your needs. You can afford to if you will only use our liberal credit plan. Pay only one dollar down and the balance weekly or monthly as you may prefer.



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Suits! Suits! Suits. In Broadcloth, Tricot, Serges and all the other popular materials. Styles are so varied they will meet the desires of any woman and the prices are surely right. Here also an opportunity not to be equalled is offered to replenish your wardrobe. Come early and use our liberal credit plan—one dollar down and small weekly or monthly payments.

\$17.50 \$23.45
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Etc.

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NEWS EVENTS in GREAT EASTBAY CITIES

SAWED-OFF YEGGS SOUGHT AFTER A DARING HOLDUP

Miniature Bandits Stick Up Pool Hall, Rob 8 Men And Cash Register.

SAN JOSE, Dec. 26.—Sheriff George W. Lyle and members of his office were being joined today by local police officers under Chief of Police J. N. Black in a drastic search for the "miniature bandits" who early yesterday morning raided the pool hall owned by Sam Arena at 125 Almaden avenue, just south of the city, held up the proprietor and seven visitors and later escaped in an automobile with more than \$500 in cash, obtained from their victims.

The men have been described as "vest pocket editions" of highway robbers, the tallest of the two being about 5 feet and the smallest scarcely over 4 feet in height, according to the description agreed upon by the victims of the hold-up.

Both men were masked, so that facial descriptions were impossible, but the men agreed that the bandits were not boys.

The bandits were heavily armed, apparently with a caliber revolver, and the victims stated, held two revolvers.

On entering the pool hall, Arena told the officers, the two men ordered the visitors in the place to lie themselves up against the wall at the same time ordering them to throw up their hands.

This done the two-gun member of the bandit duo kept the eight men "covered" with his revolver while the other member, holding his own gun, went through their pockets.

After searching the men the bandit turned and ransacked the cash register. Then the two backed towards the door, warning the men to make an outcry, lest they be shot.

It was stated that the "miniature bandits" made their escape in a waiting automobile. The supposition of the officers is that there was a third member in the gang.

Saranap Notes

SARANAP, Dec. 26.—Rev. W. H. Webb is building a new house on his property near Saranap.

Edward Montgomery, who is attending school in Oakland, is spending the holidays in his Saranap home.

Mr. and Mrs. George S. Barry were hosts Friday at a farewell party given in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Linwood Haskins. It was in the nature of a surprise for them and proved to be one of the most enjoyable ever given in the city. An impromptu program was staged. Splendid piano numbers were given by Mrs. Flora Hook, Mrs. Ethel Burgess, Mrs. Grace Barry and Mrs. Linwood Haskins. Several whistling numbers by Spencer Barry were enjoyed.

The guests for the evening were: Mr. and Mrs. Linwood Haskins, Mr. and Mrs. George Barry, Mr. and Mrs. George Culbert, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Whyte and daughter, Miss Elizabeth, Mrs. T. C. Grubb, Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Burgess, Mr. and Mrs. William Avery Rich, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Patton, Spencer Barry, Mr. and Mrs. Randolph Hook, Dr. and Mrs. Donahue.

Mr. and Mrs. William Avery Rich and Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Burgess attended the concert given by the Orpheus Club in Oakland last Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. George Culbert and their two children are with Mrs. Culbert's parents in East Oakland. Word was received Tuesday evening that they plan on moving to East Oakland the first of the year.

T. C. Grubb's mother, who visited for several weeks with her son and family, has returned to her home in Oakland.

M. C. Whyte motored to Oakland Saturday evening, to be present at the big "doins" of the Mystic Shrine.

The ladies of the Sewing Club met at the home of Mrs. L. O. Brown on Thursday afternoon. Present were: Mrs. L. O. Brown, Mrs. Stanley Goehner, Mrs. William Avery Rich, Mrs. N. R. Ivanovich and Mrs. Mary Hughes.

The regular business meeting of the Saranap Improvement Association held last week, was presided over by the new president, George E. Dixon. Several proposed changes of the by-laws of the association were discussed.

The new slide, sand boxes and other apparatus for the use of the school children arrived several days ago and are all set up and in their place ready for the kiddies to enjoy. The Parent-Teacher Association of Walnut Creek kindly aided this association in obtaining the above.

Auto Smash Brings End To Celebration

LODI, Dec. 26.—The Christmas trip of Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Phorn and Miss Lucille Curtis of Yuba City, on route to Mariposa, came to a painful and painful end Friday night when Phorn drove his car into a tree on the lower Sacramento road near this city, wrecking the machine and dislocating Mrs. Phorn's right elbow. The party was brought back to Lodi by a passing car. Mrs. Phorn received medical treatment. Owing to the condition of their machine the travelers took the train for home. A concrete bridge is being constructed at the lower Sacramento road and the carrier drivers anxious to do so. Phorn's condition is reported as good.

News Notes of Vallejo And the U. S. Navy Yard

VALLEJO, Dec. 26.—The heavy rains of the past few days have caused a large amount of water to flow into the two city reservoirs in Wild Horse Valley. The lakes are used to supply this city and Mare Island with water.

The crews of the various ships at the navy yard had special holiday dinners yesterday. The men at the training camp, marine barracks and the hospital also enjoyed turkey and cranberry sauce.

Second Lieutenant E. Rogers of the marine corps has been detached and will leave in a few days for duty at Spokane, Wash.

The short order department of the Mare Island cafeteria will be open for business tomorrow. Over \$10,000 was spent in the improvement of the cafeteria.

Lieutenant-Commander R. K. Van Meter will take over his duties in the supply department at the yard next week.

Turlock Folks Carry Cheer to All the Needy

TURLOCK, Dec. 26.—The greatest amount of relief work ever attempted here was inaugurated today when the Turlock Relief committee of ten distributed large Christmas boxes of food aggregating \$10 or more each in value, among forty poor families at Irwin, Denair, the territory adjacent to Turlock and Turlock proper. The total amount raised passed the \$400 mark, and every destitute household was personally visited by the committee, despite the continuing downpour of rain. It required six autos and a truck to make the deliveries.

The remarkable showings were made possible by the loyal co-operation of the ladies of the city, the Sunday-schools and ministers, a number of merchants, and private individuals. The relief box, appointed by the city trustees, was given to the city chairman, J. W. Burton, secretary, Rev. E. A. Kent, treasurer, Rev. B. B. Branson, L. E. Fuller, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, Rev. R. C. Pearson, Captain J. Goode of the Salvation Army, and Zimri Stuffs.

Community Tree Is Knightsen Program

KNIGHTSEN, Dec. 26.—The Knightsen Development Board and the Parent-Teacher Association combined for a community Christmas tree. The tree was fully 150 present, half of whom were children. At six o'clock supper was served in the domestic science department of the grammar school, which was the auspices of the women, who proved themselves efficient hostesses. The grammar school pupils then gave an entertainment in the school auditorium, the feature of which was the pageant of the Three Wise Men and the Shepherds.

Santa appeared just at the close of the entertainment and distributed joy to the little tots, and every child was presented with a present and a box of candy from the beautifully decorated tree. Mr. R. B. Jackson, chairman of the Development Board, in charge of their portion of the affair, which was the procuring of the tree and the candy. Mrs. J. A. Cantrell and her corps of able assistants were in charge of the supper, which was given by the association, and Mrs. Alice Collins, principal of the school, was in charge of the entertainment. Good Old Santa and his own magic and every child will testify to his ability to please.

Benicia Notes

BENICIA, Dec. 26.—A most delightful Christmas tree party was held on Tuesday night in U. P. E. C. hall, the Fraternal Order of Eagles being hosts to their members and families. The committee in charge, William McGarr, Ed Farley, Joseph Scholl, Alfred Freitas, Ed Allosch and Frank Brown, worked indefatigably, which resulted in the success of the affair. An interesting and entertaining program was furnished by the Barle orchestra, made up of the members only, and Walter McDonald, a gathering of the members and their families. Following the program Santa Claus appeared, greeting the children and presenting each of them with toys and goodies.

Mr. Harnett, speaker of the assembly, in his interesting manner, laying stress on the good the order has done and of its thoroughly American principles, and concluded with seasonal greetings. He also presented with a check of \$10 each, the guests then adjourned to the banquet hall, where a delightful spread was in store for them. The remainder of the evening was spent in dancing and games.

Miss Grace Quinn has returned from San Francisco and Oakland, after having spent several days there with relatives.

Miss Helen Lynch is home from Vallejo for the Christmas holidays. Miss Margaret Moffino, who has been at the Dominican College at San Rafael, is home for the holidays.

DIES AT FRUITVALE. TURLOCK, Dec. 26.—Word was received this morning by Mrs. H. E. Fowler and Mrs. S. H. Carkeet of the death of their nephew, Fred J. Griffing, aged 23, at the home of his sister, Mrs. Mabel Oakley, of Fruitvale. He had a long illness, and died in Turlock, having been here for a time. Interment will be made in Oakland Monday.

AUDITORIUM TO BE VOTED UPON BY SAN JOSEANS

Structure, Memorial to War Veterans, Goes To Ballot After Campaign.

SAN JOSE, Dec. 26.—Tomorrow the voters of this city determine whether or not a half-million dollar auditorium shall be erected in Sacramento, the site of the soldiers of the United States who died in all wars.

The campaign for the memorial auditorium was virtually completed here last Saturday night, although the balloting will not be held until this morning and were rushing their plans to get out a heavy vote at the polls tomorrow.

Weather indications today gave promise of clear weather for the election, which gave much joy to the ranks of the boosters. It was felt that good weather would tend to bring out a heavier vote on the part of the women, which is considered highly favorable to the auditorium backers.

A two-thirds majority is required at the polls for the success of the project, but those backing the project are confident that even this obstacle can be surmounted.

The executive committee of the Memorial Auditorium Association, holding office the argument that the city council should not have the entire say in the matter of determining the site and architecture of the new building should the \$500,000 bond issue carry, last night announced an appointment of the following influential civic leaders to act in conjunction with the city council in determining these matters: Warren R. Kelly, Charles P. Crocker, Hiram P. Tuttle, Dr. E. C. Pieper, Alex. J. Hart, Victor J. La Motte, Robert R. Syer, William G. Alexander and Walter G. Mathewson.

All of the men above named have been appointed as members of the advisory board.

The election tomorrow will be carried out without expense to the city, due to the volunteer work of hundreds of men and women interested in the success of the auditorium project.

The Christmas spirit continued to prevail today, with all stores closed and many homes celebrating this as their Christmas day.

Turlock Masons Put In Their Officers

TURLOCK, Dec. 26.—Most Worshipful Samuel E. Burke, grand master of Masons of California, assisted by Grand Lecturer Thomas J. Baker, Thursday night next will install officers for the ensuing Masonic year in Turlock lodge No. 335, P. and A. M.

Conferring of the third degree on Jacob Vassum and other work was in its entirety uniformly conducted by nine pastmasters of this lodge, including W. W. Abbott, B. W. Child, A. J. Eddy, H. P. Eddy, A. William Johnson, Frank Harder and Fred Tinsley.

The fifty odd sojourning Masons here gave a sumptuous turkey dinner, which was preceded by an address of welcome which A. W. Burgess, master, delivered. Rev. C. W. Grannis, chaplain, made one of his usually snappy, spirited addresses.

Several Masons from Merced, Modesto and Chowchilla attended, as did a number of sojourners who changed to be visiting here from Eastern states.

Funeral of Woman Gas Victim Held

ALAMEDA, Dec. 26.—The funeral of Mrs. Ola H. Gass, postoffice employee, who came to her death accidentally Friday by inhaling gas, was held at a local undertaking parlors this morning. The services were attended only by the immediate relatives and close friends. Cremation followed in Oakland.

Mrs. Gass was overcome when she fell asleep in the kitchen of her home, 2316A Central avenue. A faulty gas stove caused the gas to fill the room. Tenants in the building detected the odor of gas and notified Herman Rissman, proprietor, who entered and found Mrs. Gass.

The woman had been in the employ of the local department for several years. Previous to coming to Alameda she was employed for six years in the Richmond postoffice. She was 40 years of age and is survived by a son and her father, who lives in Martinez.

Will Plant Trees On Lincoln Day

NEWMAN, Dec. 26.—The Newman and Gustine tree-planting committees have decided to observe Lincoln's Birthday by planting several hundred symmetrical trees on each side of the new highway between the two towns. As the anniversary falls on Sunday, the undertaking will be carried out on Monday. A number of choice palm trees, donated by J. H. Kaufman, will be placed at three intersections of the highway.

On Arbor Day, corresponding to the number of ex-service men in Newman and Gustine, will be planted in each town. The women's organizations of these places will provide dinner for the planters.

Danville Notes

DANVILLE, Dec. 26.—Miss Sarah Young is spending her mid-winter vacation with her parents.

The Misses Myra and Mary Moore are spending the holidays with their cousins, the Collinses, in Los Angeles.

The Royal Neighbors had their annual Christmas tree the middle of the week.

The Presbyterian church Christmas tree was held Thursday night with large attendance for such unsettled weather. The hall and tree were beautifully decorated.

Eldon Clark spent Christmas with his mother, Mrs. David Owsen and Miss Stella Clark.

Woman Shot by Bandits, Plucky Say Officers

MANTOCA, Dec. 26.—Mrs. Dale Park, accidentally shot by a member of a sheriff's posse during the frustration of a holdup in which one man was killed, is still in St. Joseph's hospital, Stockton, where nearly thirty bandits have been removed from her right side, arm and shoulder. One pellet passed through her hip and came out of the mouth. She is in a highly nervous condition. Mrs. Park is bride of only two months. Officers regard her as one of the pluckiest women they have ever known, for the Parks were aware that three desperate holdup men would, in all likelihood, attempt to rob them the night of the shooting. Yet Mrs. Park walked right into the trap planned by both officers and bandits, with the result that when the three yeggs leveled a pistol at her husband and another snatched at the bag she carried, containing the day's receipts from the Park restaurant, she neither screamed nor flinched, but clung to the bag while her equally plucky husband shot one of the desperadoes dead in his tracks. Then five deputy sheriffs and four local peace officers swarmed out of hiding and opened with pistols and saved-off shotguns, until the air was full of lead flying in all directions. In the excitement, some member of the posse wounded the pretty girl-bride.

At the inquest over the dead bandit, conducted by Coroner Oscar Pope, it developed that one of the robbers fired a bullet through Park's overcoat. The dead holdup man has not been identified.

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MAN BREAKS BACK. ANGELS CAMP, Dec. 26.—Tony Atolia may die as the result of fractures of the backbone and injuries about the head, caused by an attempt to ride an unbroken horse. He mounted the animal in his stable. It reared and crushed him against the low rafters. He was rushed to a Stockton hospital, where little hope is held out for his recovery. He was recently married, his bride being Miss Bessie Donovan.

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RICHMOND CARS COLLIDE; THREE PERSONS HURT

Motorman Suffers From Flying Glass, While Passengers Are Bruised.

RICHMOND, Dec. 26.—Three persons were injured when two street cars collided at First street and Macdonald streets. One car, which was trailing another closely, bumped into the forward car when it stopped unexpectedly, spectators say. The motorman of the rear car, O. Icardo of Richmond, suffered lacerations of the face and body from flying glass, and two passengers, Miss Claire Tore, of 31 Santa Fe avenue, and George Hunt, of 715 Ocean avenue, suffered lacerations and contusions. They were treated at the emergency hospital.

COLE TO TAKE SEAT. Thomas I. Cole, appointed city councilman last Monday night to fill the vacancy created by the resignation of James S. Long, who has just received his commission as postmaster here, will take his seat at council meeting tomorrow night. It is expected Cole has been a resident of Richmond for many years and is a foreman at the Standard Oil plant here. He will hold office until July 1, 1923, under the appointment.

HIGHWAY NEARS COMPLETION. The San Pablo Canyon highway, which will provide direct means of communication between the rich San Pablo valley and interior of the county and Richmond, will be finished early next year, it is expected. Surveyor R. R. Arnold is completing plans for the unfinished portion of the highway, past the San Pablo reservoir of the East Bay Water company. The supervisors will call for bids early in the year, according to Supervisor Zeb Knott of this district. About seven miles of road is yet unopened.

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\$5,000 In Cash Prizes To Be Paid By The Tribune For Best Scenario-Stories Written By Californians

BOYS AND GIRLS IN SCHOOLS AND COLLEGES ARE ELIGIBLE; SO ARE GROWN-UP FOLKS

Five Thousand Dollars in cash will be paid by The Oakland TRIBUNE for the best scenario-stories submitted to this newspaper by midnight of February 28.

Pupils of public, private and parochial schools and colleges will be eligible, so will adults not registered in any educational institution.

These schools and colleges must be situated in that section of California lying north of Bakersfield and San Luis Obispo.

There will be additional cash prizes for the teachers in whose rooms attend the prize winners.

Here are the divisions and the plan of award:

DIVISION A—Sixth, seventh and eighth grades in public, private and parochial schools. First prize \$500, second prize \$250, third prize \$150, four prizes of \$50, four prizes of \$25.

DIVISION B—High school grades in public, private and parochial schools. First prize \$500, second prize \$250, third prize \$150, four prizes of \$50, four prizes of \$25.

DIVISION C—Students in college or university or in private and parochial institutions of equivalent standing. First prize \$500, second prize \$250, third prize \$150, four prizes of \$50, four prizes of \$25.

DIVISION D—Adults not registered in any school or college. First prize \$500, second prize \$250, third prize \$150, four prizes of \$50, four prizes of \$25.

SPECIAL PRIZES FOR TEACHERS—To the grammar school teachers in whose room attend, respectively, the winners of the first three prizes, \$50, \$30, \$20, respectively. And to the high school teacher of English whose pupils win, respectively, the first, second and third prizes, \$50, \$30 and \$20.

Any reader of THE TRIBUNE may enter, whether a subscriber or not. Read the rules in another column, fill out the registration blank below, read THE TRIBUNE every day for new information.

WHAT IS A SCENARIO-STORY?

You need no technical knowledge of scenario writing at all to win a prize.

It is not a scenario you are writing.

A Scenario-Story is what you are asked to submit—a manuscript of 2000 words or less—A STORY CRAMMED WITH ACTION, CONTAINING A PLOT OR AN IDEA ADAPTABLE TO SCREEN PRODUCTION.

Your Scenario-Story may be an episode out of your own life. Or an incident that has come to your attention. Or an idea with dramatic possibilities.

Tell it in 2000 words of ACTION. Do not write dialogue or description.

Everybody has an idea for a motion picture. Put it on paper. Then you have a Story-Scenario.

Be original, for that is one of the points on which the judges will decide. Use good English—that is another.

AND REMEMBER THAT YOU NEED NO TECHNICAL KNOWLEDGE OF SCENARIO WRITING. YOU DO NOT HAVE TO HAVE SPECIAL TRAINING IN SCENARIO WRITING.

JUDGES TO BE PROMINENT

The judges who will distribute the \$5000 in cash prizes will be announced later. They will be men prominent in the film and educational circles. Well-known producers of motion pictures, heads of scenario bureaus, school officials will have a hand in deciding.

There will be printed every day in THE TRIBUNE special articles by motion picture experts on Scenario-Story writing. And every day THE TRIBUNE'S Scenario-Story Editor will tell you something new about the work you are doing.

In another column, there will be found the first installment of a special article by a TRIBUNE writer telling what he discovered when he visited the scenario and producing departments of the big picture companies at Hollywood. Read this story every day; it will be crammed with hints on what the producers want.

AND REMEMBER THIS: THE FAMOUS SCENARIO WRITERS OF THE NEXT FEW YEARS WILL BE RECRUITED FROM THE RANKS OF THOSE NOW IN SCHOOLS AND COLLEGES. THE TRIBUNE OPENS FOR YOU A WAY TO A GREAT CAREER.

Now you know how \$5000 in cash will be given by THE TRIBUNE to the young folks of California.

Read every word on this page.

Read every word of the special articles in every day's issue of THE TRIBUNE.

Fill out your Registration Blank and mail it.

Go to it.

And the best of luck.

\$5000!!!

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SCENARIO-STORY EDITOR

I desire to submit a Scenario-Story in the TRIBUNE'S \$5000 cash prize award.

I agree to abide by the rules and to be satisfied with the verdict of the judges, who, the TRIBUNE assures me, will be men of prominence in the educational and motion picture world.

I will enter in DIVISION.....

Division A—6th, 7th, 8th grade.

Division B—High School.

Division C—College or University.

Division D—Adult out of school or college.

I am a pupil in the.....grade or year of the.....

.....school or college.

NAME.....

STREET.....

CITY.....

DISTRIBUTION OF \$5,000 PRIZES

Here is how the TRIBUNE will divide its \$5000 cash prize for Scenario-Stories to be submitted by students in grammar schools, high schools, colleges and universities and by adults not registered in school or college.

Any boy or girl attending grammar school, high school or equivalent grades in private and parochial schools—any boy or girl in college or institutions with a college rating—any adult out of school—ANYWHERE IN CALIFORNIA NORTH OF BAKERSFIELD AND SAN LUIS OBISPO is eligible.

These are the \$5000 cash prize divisions:

DIVISION A 6TH, 7TH, 8TH GRADES IN PUBLIC, PRIVATE, PAROCHIAL SCHOOLS.	DIVISION B HIGH SCHOOL GRADES IN PUBLIC, PRIVATE, PAROCHIAL SCHOOLS.	DIVISION C STUDENTS IN COLLEGE OR PRIVATE AND PA- ROCHIAL SCHOOLS OF EQUIVALENT STAND- ING.	DIVISION D ADULT NOT REGISTERED IN SCHOOL OR COLLEGE.
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Second prize.....250	Second prize.....250	Second prize.....250	Second prize.....250
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(The classification of grades in private and parochial schools will be made by a special committee composed of prominent educators.)

HERE ARE RULES OF THE CONTEST

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Registration must be made on blank in another column of this page, said blank to be mailed to Scenario Story Editor before work is started on manuscript.

Manuscripts must not be longer than 2000 words, but may be as short as 1000 words.

Manuscripts must be written on one side of the paper only. You handwriting must be clear and legible. Typewrite, if possible.

POINTS ON WHICH JUDGES WILL DECIDE

Adaptability to motion picture production.

Originality of plot.

Best English composition.

Chaplin in Scenes Of Boyhood Reaches Out in Vain for His Vanished Past

by *Charles Chaplin*

(Continued From Saturday)

(This is the twentieth installment of Charlie Chaplin's own story of his European tour. In the preceding installment he described the beginning of a trip through the haunts of his childhood, accompanied by several companions.)

So we wandered

along through South

London by Ken-

nington Cross

and Kennington

Gate, Nowington

Built, Lambeth

Walk and Clap-

ham road, and all

through the

neighborhood. At

most every step

brought back

memories, most

of them of a ten-

der sort. I was

right here in the

midst of my

youth, but somehow I seemed apart

from it.

If I could only get through the

glass and touch the real live thing

that had called me back to Lon-

don. But I can't.

Am I not? He thinks

he can, but other things have hap-

pened to his life. He had new ideas,

new friends, new attachments. He

doesn't belong to his past, except

that the past has, perhaps, made

marks on him.

My friends and I continue out

stroll—a stroll so pregnant with in-

terest to me at times that I forget

that I have company and wander

along alone.

OLD TOMATO MAN.

Who is that old fellow there

against the cart? Another landmark.

I look at him closely. He is the same—only more so. Well do I remember him, the old tomato man, facing about 12 when I first saw him and he is still here in the same old spot, playing the same old trade, while I—

I can picture him as he first appeared to me standing beside his painted cart heaped with tomatoes, his greeny clothes shiny in their unkemptness, the rather glassy single eye that had looked from one side of his face staring at nothing in particular, but giving you the feeling that it was seeing all, the mottled nose with the network of veins, spelling dissipation.

HOW HE CRIED HIS WARES.

I remember how I used to stand

around and wait for him to shout

his wares. His method never

varied. There was a sudden twinc-

ing convulsion and he leaned to one

side, trying to straighten out the

other as he did so, and then, taking

into his one good lung all the air it

could send he would let forth a

clattering, rattling, asthmatic, high-

pitched wheeze, a series of sounds

which defied interpretation. Some-

where in the explosion there could

be detected "true tomatoes." And

other part of his message was lost.

And he was still here. Through

summer suns and winter snows he

had stood and was standing. Only

a bit more decrepit, a bit older,

more dyspeptic, his clothes grayer,

his shoulders rounder, his one eye

rather filmy and not so all-seeing as

it once was. And I waited, but he

did not shout his wares any more.

just stood there inert in his ageing, and somehow the tomatoes did not look so good as they once were.

TREATS TO COFFEE.

We get into a cab and drive back toward Brixton to the Elephant and Castle, where we pull up at a coffee shop, the same old London coffee shop, with its bad coffee and tea.

There are a few pink-cheeked

lives in Park lane. There we can get a drink and then go to bed. We jump in a cab and are soon there.

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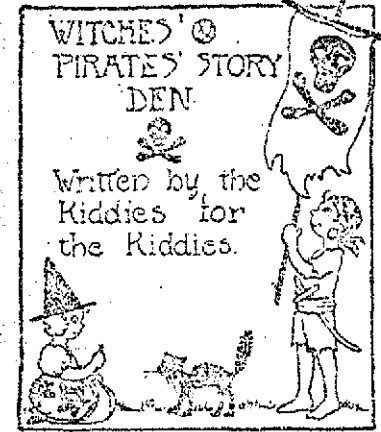
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PL. Richmond, Calif.
DOLLY'S DREAM.
(PRIZE STORY.)

It was bedtime for Dolly. Mother kissed her good night. When Dolly rose to the top of the stairs she saw to her mother's room door. "Good night, Mother dear," said Dolly.

Dolly had been in bed ten minutes when all of a sudden she found herself in a big forest. She was very hungry so she began to look for something to eat. She turned about three times and found herself in a—guess what?

Why, a witch's cave! She was very scared but the witch that happened to be in the cave said: "Come in and sit down, Dolly."

Dolly was so surprised to see that the witch knew her name, but she was more surprised when she saw that the witch looked just like her own sweet mother. Then she got up enough courage to sit down. She said to the witch, "Please give me something to eat."

The witch was very mean, but to get children to eat she talked softly and did or seemed to do nice things. In the children's eyes.

"All right, dearie, here you are!" she said and mumbled something under her breath, and there all of a sudden, right in front of Dolly was a big table with a nice lot of food. It looked good to Dolly, so she began to eat, but—ugh!—The food was made of children!

Dolly said, "I am very sorry, but you—ah—but you see—"

She couldn't go any further because before her very eyes she saw the witch stamp her foot, and immediately a whole lot of witches were in the cave. The first witch said, "Let's eat her raw!"

Dolly said very calmly, though she was scared stiff, "If you would let me you will have to catch me, and away she ran."

She stepped on a mushroom and immediately she knew what everything, the birds, and the beasts, were saying.

One said, "Hide here—hide here." Just as the witches were going to put their hands on Dolly her blood seemed to freeze.

It was about half past seven when Dolly felt something on her shoulder go pat, pat, pat and she heard a soft voice say, "Up dear, and get dressed quickly!"

Dolly opened her eyes slowly, for fear the witch would be there, but instead of the witch she saw her mother's smiling face.

"Oh, mother, darling, darling, darling—I'm so glad it's you!" and she hugged her mother closely.

"THE UNKNOWN."

3 Minute Journeys

Although it is true that greater reverence, at least in forms, is paid the mother in China than perhaps in any other country of the East, if not in the West, the Chinese mother is not always secure in her place in the home. For the Chinese husband may divorce his wife for any one of seven reasons.

If the wife does not obey her parents-in-law, her husband may send her away. He may put her out of his house and deny her entrance again, taking to himself another wife; if she does not bear him a son, if she is guilty of adultery, if she is jealous of the other inmates of her household, if she is too talkative or too glibly conversant, if she is too fond of gossiping, if she is too fond of mourning for her husband's family, or if he was poor when she married him and he has now become rich he is not permitted to send her away.

The laws may vary, recently been changed in some sections of China—for China has progressed in the last few years, particularly as regards women—but up to a few years ago there was no provision for a wife to divorce her husband. To separate from her husband the Chinese wife had to have the husband's consent. In other words, under any circumstances, he really divorced her.

There is a measure, explaining the extreme eagerness of Chinese girls to possess to be the mother of a boy. But it must not be supposed that girl babies are not desired in China. While it is true that in old days many a Chinese baby girl was permitted to die or was abandoned by parents disappointed that she was not a boy, girls are looked upon with greater favor today than before in the history of the Celestial Kingdom.

Husband and Wife

My husband leaves his evening clothes scattered all over the floor when he comes in late at night.

What does your husband do?

THE MORNING AFTER

By Juanita Hamel



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Uncle Wiggily Stories

UNCLE WIGGILY'S CHRISTMAS PUDDING.

"Ting-a-ling! Ting-a-ling!" rang the telephone bell in the hollow stump bungalow of Uncle Wiggily, the bunny rabbit gentleman. Half asleep in his easy chair, Uncle Wiggily heard Nurse Jane Fuzzy Wuzzy, his muskrat lady housekeeper, talking over the wire.

"Yes! Yes!" Uncle Wiggily heard Nurse Jane say. "Why, yes, come right over—come right over. Yes, we have had a lovely Christmas! I had some wonderful presents, and so did Uncle Wiggily. Come right over, yes, I'll have something for you to eat!"

Nurse Jane ended with a laugh, and Uncle Wiggily to himself, "I hope Nurse Jane isn't inviting the Fox or Wolf over to eat a Christmas pudding. I must see about this. 'Who is coming over, Nurse Jane?' he asked as he picked up the telephone.

"Oh, just Mrs. Twisty-Tail, the pig lady, and Mrs. Flat Tail, the beaver mother of Toodle and Toodle, answered Nurse Fuzzy Wuzzy. 'And now that I have invited them to call, I wish I hadn't!'"

"For this was a very strange thing for Nurse Jane to say."

"Why was it?" said Uncle Wiggily, for Nurse Jane said, 'I've got a Christmas pudding left,' said the muskrat lady. 'I didn't make a very large one, and I had there was you and I ate, with the help of about forty-seven animal boys and girls!'"

Nurse Jane had to laugh as she thought of how Uncle Wiggily had invited into the bungalow every girl or boy animal who came to show him his house and garden. And to every one the bunny had said:

"Nurse Jane will give you some Christmas pudding."

"This is how I wonder there was no Christmas pudding left for Mrs. Twisty-Tail and Mrs. Flat Tail, who were so good."

"Oh, dear!" sighed Nurse Jane. "I think I shall run over to Mrs. Little Tail in the next hour and give some of her Christmas pudding."

"Here's may all be gone, too," said Uncle Wiggily.

"She put on her bonnet and shawl and she went to the home of Sammie and Susie Little Tail."

While his muskrat lady housekeeper was gone, Uncle Wiggily began to think of how he would get his Christmas pudding. In fact, from what I know of Sammie and Susie, I don't believe he will get any left. Nurse Jane will have trouble borrowing pudding anywhere today, and she will be so disappointed if she can't give some to her animal lady friends. I know what I'll do; I'll make her a pudding myself!"

Uncle Wiggily was not afraid to do anything. Down he went to the kitchen to make a Christmas pudding. He knew something about puddings. He knew you had to put into them sugar, milk, eggs and other things.

"And that's just the point—what are the other things?" Uncle Wiggily asked himself.

"What?" he asked himself. "I didn't expect you." "I didn't expect you," said the bunny. "I'll put some Christmas pudding and nuts into the pudding. That will make it truly a Christmas pudding. Now I'll beat up the milk, eggs and sugar and mix them together. I'll put in the candy and nuts."

So the bunny did this. He was beating up the milk, eggs and sugar in a big bowl when, all at once, Uncle Wiggily looked before him and saw the door open.

"Don't bother to look further for a Christmas pudding," called Uncle Wiggily. "I am making one for you."

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Household Hints

After big festive dinner parties there are always a lot of leftovers, which at first glance do not seem to be very inviting, but on further thought we find that they have infinite possibilities.

For instance, there are a lot of different vegetables, some creamed and others just in butter dressings. If just warmed over they won't be enjoyed, but they are a second treat.

Vegetable Pie. Line a deep dish with good crust. Cut the vegetables in small pieces, mix them, then freeze them from their sauces. Make a rich brown sauce, only sufficient for the pie, cool slightly, then mix the vegetables in it, add a grated onion, a dozen chopped raisins and a quarter of a minced pepper. Put on the crust and bake until the crust is done.

Leftover Soup. Leftover vegetable soup may be varied for a second service by skimming off the grease, straining out the vegetables, and reheating with a bit of fresh seasoning, then adding tiny quick soup dumplings, macaroni, barley, rice or tapioca. Or the soup may be turned into a cream soup by an equal amount of hot milk being added, a little soda having been put into the milk, and the whole soup thickened with butter and flour mixed to a cream. Most of the heavy soups can be warmed and thinned a little for second service.

Turkey Leftovers. A platter of cold sliced turkey, or turkey heated in the gravy, is a second-day dinner, then the rack is left to strip. This yields meat cut fine for turkey hash or chopped for turkey croquettes, a matter of choice. The rack, trimmings and even the stuffing may go into the soup pot with any leftover bones, a can of to-

Holding a Husband

By Adele Garrison

(Continued From Yesterday.)

WHAT MADGE WONDERED.

He frowned involuntarily, as unconsciously lifted his eyebrows, and, knowing his intense consciousness of his own identity, I realized how the girl's intense expression must have shocked and annoyed him. Then into his eyes crept smiling, tender admiration of Miss Foster's charming impulsive nature, which I knew was as genuine as it was anything.

I found myself suddenly hoping that no romantic attachment might develop between these two people so totally unsuited to each other, for the young girl's flamboyant volatility and the man's somber stiff dignity could not help but class intolerably. Only a great and lasting love could conquer such incompatibility.

Miss Foster was as oblivious of the smile as of the frown. She apparently could not inhibit that expression she made if only she were permitted to say anything she chose at any time, no matter how inopportune.

"Are you going to operate, doctor?" she queried without giving him a chance to reply to her laudatory comment. "Is the wound a serious one, skull broken or anything like that?"

"There is no fracture," the physician replied, a bit stiffly, "but I shall have to take several stitches in her scalp. They are preparing for it now, and I shall not be ready to leave her for some time. I would suggest that Mrs. Graham and you get something to eat while you wait—there are several good restaurants in Southamptons—for I must not go to rush back with me as soon as I have finished here, I have a critical case of pneumonia in St. Harbor which I must see as soon as possible."

"I am sorry to trouble you so much, Mrs. Graham," he turned to me. "Believe me, I am most grateful for your kindness, and especially for the skilled care with which you drove over here. Now if you will excuse me I will send some one out to stay with the child. She is asleep? That is good."

He turned and walked swiftly toward the hospital. But Miss Foster was not to be dismissed so cavalierly. She ran after him, and put a restraining hand upon his arm. "But when will you call?" she demanded.

"Tonight, sometime. I cannot stop anywhere until after I have seen my pneumonia patient."

"Well, I can stand it if you can," she returned indignantly. "Besides, I'm not going to take a chance on that child's waking up with anybody else when she's used to me. So I don't intend to send any one else to stay with her. I'll stay myself, nurse out at all, not till you're ready to go home."

Again the tender admiring look flashed across the physician's face. He murmured something in so low a voice that I could not catch it, but which was evidently intensely personal, for when Miss Foster turned back to me her charming face held a heightened color.

"Please forgive me, Mrs. Graham," she said. "I didn't think of you when I refused to go for something to eat. Perhaps you are hungry."

"Not a bit," I returned promptly. "I had just finished a most toothsome supper when the cries of the woman brought us out into the yard."

"Then that's all right," she said relievedly. "But to tell you the honest truth, I wouldn't leave that poor little thing even if you were hungry—and I don't believe you would either."

"My heart went out to her at the apology, so frank yet defiant. Despite her crudeness, her youthful egotism, and her somewhat overbearing manner, Miss Foster was a young woman distinctly worth knowing."

Miss Foster and I spent the time before Dr. Pettit's reappearance—the greater part of an hour—in the impersonal chatter of friends indulged in by women who are strangers to each other, and who have no common meeting ground.

I found that I had not underrated the girl's conversational powers. Dicky would have dubbed her a record-breaker for fluency and endurance. But I found it increasingly easy to play only the listener's role, for I was so interested in the quality in her talk which gave me as clear a picture of her mental and moral attributes as if photography of the soul were an accomplished invention.

I watched her unobtrusively as she talked, and her undeniable charm grew upon me. Not beautiful, by the exacting standard of physical magnificence which Grace Draper once filled, and Katherine Sonnet and the Fairfax girls approached, yet, as Dicky would express it, "unusually easy to look at."

So, I say, if you please help me on this matter and I will gladly accept your answer.

From one who is WORRIED.

P. S.—I have always been good. Never had no trouble.

Dear Geraldine:

I would like to have your advice on a problem.

I am a boy of the age of 15 and 8 months, and have been go-

Geraldine's SHOULDER

Listen, World

There's a Vamp on our street. I've been hearing a lot about Vamps these last few years. Run across 'em every time I want to the movies or opened a magazine. Still, I think before they really existed in actual life. But since I've met up with this lady I'll take it all back, for she's a veritable strip of human tanglefoot.

She only moved in three weeks ago but she has already done as much destruction as a marine squad. Nine-tenths of the married men would give their eye teeth to call her their own, and the other tenth are sliding badly. What the wives say is the sort of conversations which you can only express thus:—

Alcouth!

Why that woman actually seems to hypnotize everything that wears pants or is ever going to. From the wee Billy Boys in rompers to the old Grandads in carpet slippers, they hang around her place and offer to run errands or nail up her fence or doctor her dog or fight her kargahage man. However, they say that even the Garbage Man is offering her cut rates—human charm can work no greater miracle.

"What does she look like?" "Is she demure and dimpled, or dark and designed?" Is she a Toddler or a Slinker? Well, not exactly. It isn't particularly convenient either to toddle or to sink when you weigh close to 180, which this Vamp cheerfully confesses that she does. You sort of anchored to your shape—it's just hair. The same might be

Folks—Mothers and Dads, especially—let's talk something over. It's the youngsters. Most every mail a letter like one of the following comes sailing in. As you know, Jerry is a Vamp, not a youngster. Not just strong in a sentimental way, but strong for them as individuals with distinct rights and prerogatives over which we too often ruthlessly trample.

For instance, I think that any boy or girl in his or her teens not only has a right to claim a certain amount of social life, but needs it as imperatively as air or food or even success. This is what Jerry means "little parties at home."

It means some sort of wholesome OUTSIDE social contact, where, to a small but growing degree, the youngsters may find for himself. Otherwise he's going to develop a morbid or stupid, self-conscious individual, utterly lacking in that personal command and appeal without which no human can win to happiness or success. This is what Jerry thinks about the youngsters.

But perhaps Jerry thinks too little or too much on the subject. At any rate she wants to know what YOU think are YOU doing for your children? How much social life should a growing boy and girl have?

Give me your ideas straight from the shoulder. Don't bark back to what you had as a child up in Petauma or Suisun. We're living in a different world now, folks, a world in which all the values have changed.

There's a movie on every corner nowadays, and you can't make "past-tense" scrapbooks, the thrilling sport it used to be when we were kids. So come on. Read these two letters and let us hear from Jerry job over and do the advising.

A Little Boost

Here's a little boost from "Just a Man," that made Jerry's heart glad. Thank you, Friend.

Pal Jerry:

A frank public discussion of personal relations and all vital questions attendant has been a crying need since Jerry began. How many intelligent, thinking human who has seen anything of life can doubt it is beyond me.

Your column is one of the finest things I have read today, and the spirit behind it is one of the hundreds that never sleep.

JUST A MAN.

"Another subscriber" doesn't like Jerry or the Jerry page. His or her dislike for Jerry matters very little, but when he knocks the Jerry page he involves a good many people. There's a lot of people come right back—as to wit the following.

Dear Geraldine, here's to your rescue.

Another subscriber, to my opinion, is merely another knacker who unfortunately knows little of life nor cares to learn anything and who is trying to raise his own narrow-mindedness but who is going to give Daddy the biggest surprise of his life some day—they are going to smoke, swear, tell nasty tales and—But Daddy won't be able to stand them, and he will wonder where they learned it, because he was so careful in destroying the Geraldine page.

As for Free Love and Divorce, which is a way of living with a wife or husband who do not care for one another, or DIVORCE, it happens to know a couple who despise one another, the wife confessing that she married beneath her, but continues living a life of a—because she thinks another woman will get him and make him happy.

ANOTHER BUSINESS WOMAN.

S. P.—Keep up the good work. I know what it is to deal with the public.

A Personal Word

WONDERING—Would that I were a man, to help all the wonderful friends who write to me—but I'm not. I can give love and understanding but that doesn't solve problems. I think I'd put up the proposition this way to friend children, and I'm paid for it. I'm not a man, but I'm just as important. You are raising his children, doing the housework, and in the partnership are entitled to your share of the income. I am not a being, I'm a human, but you might suggest to him that there are things YOU need which you are entitled to (I am taking your letter at its face value and in the belief that you are willing to be fair to your share, and need an allowance for your good wishes.

TOOLY—Did you ever try to get over your "possessive" attitude? It may be THINKING seriously of marriage, but that's all. Very few young men of twenty are actually getting married this year. They're having too hard a time buying just one waifu for breakfast. He will probably admire and APPRECIATE your friendship more than your more serious thoughts.

Brain Tests

2 Minutes to Answer This.

Spell out the names of the little objects. Then add and subtract as indicated by the signs and the resulting letters will spell the name of a foreign city.

W. J. — D = ?

Answer to Yesterday's Puzzle.

The short train made thirty miles per hour and the long train twenty miles per hour.

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